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GENERAL NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.)

Fatal Explosion.

TERRE HAUTE Jan 2—An explosion of three boilers occurred this afternoon at the large distillery of Hullman & Fairbanks The engine house was demolished William Day, (colored) fireman, and Frank Hughes a boy 14 years old were instantly killed Damage about $5 000 The three boilers were torn to fragments A piece of one was thrown across the Wabash river

The Potter Investigation.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan 2—John Ray, counsel for Secretary Sherman has filed with the Potter committee a statement that he did not intend to offer further evidence concerning intimidation

Caleb Cushing Sick.

NEWBURYPORT, Mass Jan 2—Caleb Cushing is quite ill and failing rapidly to night For 24 hours his stomach refused nourishment. His friends are hopeless

Inauguration of Massachusetts' New Governor.

BOSTON, Jan 2—Gov Talbot was inaugurated to day. His message shows that the funded debt of the state is $33,020 464, and that there is now no temporary loan.

A Plan to Increase General Police Efficiency.

BOSTON, Jan 2—The police commissioners here have addressed a circular to the police authorities of all cities of the Union, designed to perfect the organization, to systemize police business throughout the country in preventing and detecting crime Among the objects stated, is a speedy and regular interchange of police intelligence between all parts of the country, increased vigilance, not alone in tracking criminals, but in watching officers and breaking up private detective business with its blackmailing operations and compromises with rogues

Weather in the East.

BUFFALO, Jan 2—The wind is blowing a gale and a light fall of snow to day, it has drifted badly. Trains on the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad are again stuck at Ebenezer, and on the Buffalo & Southwestern at Elma Passengers are taking refuge from the intense cold in farm houses in the vicinity Trains are reported abandoned on the Lakeshore road east of Cleveland

YANKTON D T Jan 2—25° below zero last night

ST. PAUL, Jan 2—26° to 30° below zero last night.

SPRINGFIELD Ill, Jan 2—Mercury 20° below zero.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Grand New Year's Reception at the White House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2—The advent of the new year generally was observed, the principal point of attraction being the executive mansion, where the reception of guests commenced at 11 o'clock In company with the president were Vice President Wheeler, Mrs Hayes, Mrs. Jewett of Chicago, Mrs. Austin of Cleveland, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Anderson of Cincinnati, the Misses Scott, Mrs Wood worth and Mrs Andrews Rarely if ever before has the vice president received with the president on such an occasion. The only noticeable absentee was Secretary Sherman, who was informed by telegraph this morning of the death of his brother The British legation, being in mourning, was not represented Nearly all members of the diplomatic corps were present The Chinese legation attracted most attention, and many sought introduction to the ambassador and his attaches The ministers and secretaries, except Mr. Bartlett, wore Chinese dress. It was their first visit on a New Year's occasion, and they were evidently much pleased with the attentions bestowed upon them. All the judges of the United States supreme court, with the exception of Justice Clifford, who is on a visit to Richmond, and judges of the court of claims the southern claims commission, and the courts for the District of Columbia, were present with ladies Nearly all members of congress now in Washington called to pay their respects to the president and vice president The attendance of officers of the army was unusually large General Sherman was not present. The navy was well represented, as were also all classes of officers and employes under the government, and the public generally.

The National Treasury.

WASHINGTON Jan 2—The debt statement shows an increase of debt for December of $[illegible], and the following balances in the treasury Coin, $224,865 477, currency, $4 [illegible]; currency held for redemption of fractional currency, $10 000 000 special deposits for redemption of certificates of deposit $[illegible],000, coin and silver certificates $24 [illegible], outstanding legal tenders, $346,681, [illegible]; fractional currency, $16 108,154

SHERMAN ON NORTHERN FRAUDS.

A Letter from the Ohio Senator to the Investigating Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan 2—The following letter is self explanatory

WASHINGTON Jan 1 1879

Hon. H M Teller Chairman of Select Committee of Investigation—DEAR SIR. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of yours of the 21st ult, enclosing a copy of a resolution adopted by your committee requesting me to furnish in writing the facts and such evidence as may be in my possession touching the matter involved in an amendment made on my motion to the resolution under which the committee is acting Of course the committee does not suppose that matters embraced in that amendment are within my personal knowledge, or that of any one man They relate to elections in every part of the republic and the allegations are for the most part to be found in the opening of Mr Blaine's speech in support of his resolution on December 11th

The senator from Maine distinctly stated that his resolution was based on accounts given in the press. The press has teemed with statements which, if true require investigation as proposed by my amendment, and I have no doubt that members of the committee read the newspapers quite as diligently as I do It is probable they know where to look for sources of information as I do, and they are charged with the responsibility of the investigation and I am not I beg respectfully to say that I take no part of it upon my [illegible]. Nevertheless, as the amendment was offered in perfect good faith and with the firm belief that the matters it embraces require investigation quite as much as the matters contained in the original resolution it will be proper for me especially since the committee has requested it to furnish such information touching the subject as may from time to time come under my observation. I also send herewith, installment No 1, consisting of—

First—An editorial article cut from this morning's Washington Post

Second—A copy of a petition of 60 odd citizens of New York to the house of representatives complaining of the illegal and oppressive conduct of John I Davenport and other federal officials at the last election in New York City and I am authorized by Hon Fernando Wood who presented the petition to say that its statements are proved by affidavits in his hands, and that he will if desired, furnish the names of affiants and other witnesses to the same facts

Third—A copy of an opinion of Judge Freedman touching the rights of certain naturalized citizens of New York which rights were grossly violated by the said Davenport as set forth in said petition

Fourth—I respectfully refer you to that portion of the speech which Senator Wallace one of your members delivered in the senate December 17 [illegible] relates to the last election in Pennsylvania (Congressional Record December 18) I also beg to refer you to a published letter of Hon [illegible] Riley, of Pennsylvania, showing the use of money employed by federal officials and others to secure his nomination and election You have no doubt seen the letter in the newspapers If not I will send a copy prepared for you

Fifth—An editorial article from the Argus a newspaper of Montpelier Vt touching the election at Bennington in that state

Sixth—A copy of the president's civil service order of June 22, 1877, and as showing what attention has been paid to it and also what [illegible] were made to by the Republican congressional committee of 1878 I enclose a circular of that committee signed by George C Gorham as secretary which circular it is said was sent to nearly every [illegible] in the civil service of the government and [illegible] the contrary [illegible] of the government

Very respectfully, your obedient servant

A G THURMAN

New Year's day Inchman [illegible] was filled [illegible] from the [illegible]

SUCCESSFUL RESUMPTION.

The Day which the Nation has Hoped for for Years

Not a Ripple in Financial Circles

CURRENCY PREFERRED TO GOLD.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.)

New York

NEW YORK, Dec 2—Flags are flying everywhere because of resumption yet there is nothing at the treasury banks nor at any of the exchanges to make the day differ from ordinary dull days Special arrangements sufficient to meet any demand, had been made by the sub treasury to pay out gold for legal tender notes The clerks in charge of the department expected to be very busy but they have very little to do even to the close of day's business.

Reports from leading banks agree that the amount of gold coming in to them is larger than the amount going out Neither banks in domestic or foreign transactions no foreign bankers nor even speculators make any difference to day between gold and legal tender and national bank notes In the gold room, dealings in gold have given way to dealings in U S bonds the latter being all the business now done in that hall

Of $25,000 received at the custom house up to noon in payment of duties the bulk was greenbacks, and at the sub treasury, up to that hour only $2,500 in legal tenders had been exchanged for gold Treasurer Hill house was prepared to meet a probable rush for gold, but the demand was very light, while in many instances greenbacks were preferred The first demand was for $210, but not another dollar in gold was paid out for half an hour Within that time there were half a dozen applicants for sums less than $50, but as no payments are made under that amount, they were refused National bank bills were also offered but were not taken, only legal tenders being exchangeable

NEW YORK, Jan 2—To day is "investors day" in Wall street, and the general government, New York city banks, insurance companies, railroad and other corporations emphasized the New Year by paying in gold to all who desired, the semi-annual interest and declared dividends It is noteworthy that a decided preference is given to the paper money, as it is more convenient to handle and just as convertible and acceptable

Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan 2—Subscriptions to the 4 per cent loan to day were $8 590,100 This is the largest amount ever received in one day three million dollars being the largest sum ever subscribed in a single day before The large amount subscribed for to day is probably on account of the recent circular of the secretary of the treasury allowing commissions on subscriptions for said bonds

The total coinage of the U S mints for December was $5 984 300 Treasurer Gilfillan late this afternoon, received the following dispatch from Assistant Treasurer Hillhouse at New York "A large portion of gold checks were paid in U S notes to day at the request of holders The amount of interest paid at the treasury in this city to day was $20,000, all of which was paid with legal tender notes except $2,861, for which holders of coupons asked and received coin checks on New York The holders of coupons have heretofore received coin for them but to day for the first time they had to take legal tenders or a coin check on New York Many accepted legal tenders, though not without some growling, and others as above mentioned, demanded coin checks Sec'y Sherman was in his office until 4 o clock and appeared in excellent spirits A number of telegrams received by him were sent over to the president, among them one from Assistant Treasurer Hillhouse, received early in the day to the effect that the amount of gold demanded for U. S. notes was insignificant. Just before the close of the office, one from Assistant Treasurer Hillhouse, giving the amount disbursed as $1,130,000, and receipts $400,000 was received and read with much gratification

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA Jan 2—Resumption of payments in this city caused no stir whatever. Inquiry at prominent banks showed demand for gold up to noon to-day very limited

Chicago.

CHICAGO Jan 2—There is little in financial circles to mark the advent of resumption day The principal event of importance at the sub treasury has been the large increased demand for 4 per cent. governments The demand for gold is confined to a very few cases the majority of applicants preferring currency

Gen. Jas A. Garfield, who for the past few days has been a guest of the Commercial Club of Chicago, was invited by the Honest Money League to deliver an address to-night on the occasion of the meeting to celebrate the resumption of specie payments The weather was intensely cold thermometer ranging from 8 to 20 degrees below zero but despite his Farwell Hall was completely filled with business men

Providence

PROVIDENCE, R I, Jan 1—Resumption of specie payments to day caused not a ripple at banks or in financial circles Very few wanted checks paid in gold and some banks received more gold on deposit than they paid out In all general business transactions bills were preferred Even savings bank depositors took their interest in bills rather than gold

Maine Comes to the Front.

AUGUSTA, Jan 2—The legislature is organized. The following resolution passed the senate

Resolved, That national honor public credit and private interest alike demand that specie resumption, now happily achieved, shall be maintained honestly and unfalteringly at every hazard, and to this end our senators and representatives in congress are requested to use their best endeavors

San Francisco.

Although the resumption law went into effect yesterday, it did not go into official operation until to-day. At the sub-treasury to-day there was a brisk demand for greenbacks in exchange for gold for remittance east which was denied There is only the sum of $300 000 in greenbacks lying in the vaults of the sub-treasury at present and this is all needed for the payment of demands against the treasury Mr Sherman says the whole amount would have been exchanged for gold to-day had he allowed it

The banks have notified brokers that hereafter they will make no discrimination between gold and greenbacks

CHINA AND JAPAN

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 2—The *Belgic* arrived from China this evening and brings the following

HONGKONG, Dec 3—No further authentic intelligence is known respecting the movements of the pretender Li to the throne of Annam. Rumor tells of his rapid advance toward the capital of that kingdom But the Chinese authorities discountenance inquiry

Tsing the new minister to [illegible] from [illegible] young reformer's western mission

YOKOHAMA, Dec 13—Affairs of Japan and Corea are in statu quo, and no necessity for appeal to arms is now apprehended The secret diplomatic arrangements in progress between the British and Chinese legation in Japan the purport of which is unknown excites much curiosity especially on the part of Russian agents The political aspect is unchanged notwithstanding the strong endeavors of British representatives to show the condition to be unsettled and alarming The government in fact is as strong and trusted as at any time in the past decade

Buffalo *Express* Unless we are greatly mistaken, Secretary Sherman is the president's first choice for the succession if he has a choice Some recent appointments [illegible] in that direction

THE SCHURZ-SHERIDAN CONTROVERSY

Reply of General Sheridan to the Letter of Secretary Schurz

CHICAGO Jan 2—General Sheridan's reply to Secretary Schurz touching the Indian bureau business is quite sharp Speaking of the Spotted Tail agency he says The report of Lieut Lee, recently agent for Spotted Tail is given in full for the reason that it gives a fair and comprehensive idea of Indian management and may be assumed as a fair explanation of what has occurred at other agencies Lee's report was called for because he, Gen Sheridan was familiar with the facts contained therein Indeed he was partly instrumental in the detection of the McCann frauds Lee's report gives an explanation of how affairs were conducted at the Spotted Tail agency previous to the time a military officer was detailed as agent E A Howard was there in charge as agent He had instilled into the minds of the Indians almost every possible prejudice against the military, but when the change was made it was done so suddenly that a good effect was speedily apparent Lieut Foote who preceded Lee as acting agent, found when he relieved the civil agent Howard the supplies reduced to a starvation minimum, and after getting supplies from the military to feed the starving Indians his first official act was to take a census and he then found that Howard had been issuing on paper to 917 Indians when the actual number was 4 775 Lee took charge of the Spotted Tail agency March 30 1877 By treaty the annuities for the Indians should have reached them the first of August of each year but they did not arrive till midwinter, thus causing much suffering and this has been generally the case Lieut Lee then gives a history of the McCann frauds which had been reported as early as 1875 and says notwithstanding these frauds McCann received the contract for a very large portion of the transportation for 1877 Lee then relates minutely the McCann and Davis frauds shows the method of inspection and states the deficiencies that occurred on account of them He says that he reported the facts to the Indian bureau and that finally he received a telegram from the acting commissioner saying "We trust McCann no longer" Lee then shows how the method of doing business in the Indian bureau left the agent in the dark as to the quantity of supplies turned over to the contractors for delivery at the agency, and that he could only get this information by communication with the military at Omaha He says good, bad and indifferent beef cattle had been received at the agency by Howard and that when the military took charge the average weight suddenly dropped from 1 050 pounds to 800 pounds per head gross He then says the greatest difficulty an agent has to contend with is the system of doing business The agent is at the mercy of the contractor, and owing to the irregularity of supplying the agency is often compelled to receive supplies that are not up to the requirements of the contracts He then proceeds to show that in opposition to his recommendation the beef contractor to save taking care of the herds had succeeded in obtaining a supplemental contract at Washington to deliver all beef by the middle of December 1877 on the Missouri river and the agent was to slaughter and freeze it

Lee protested that he had no facilities for preserving the beef, and that if the winter happened to be an open one it would be a total loss and finally was authorized to hold the herd during the winter He then expressly invites the attention of Gen Sherman to reports from the Standing Rock agency while under the management of Agents Burke and Hughes, and then asks him to look at the reports from the Mandans Arickarees, Gros Ventres, Assiniboines, Piegans and the Crows in Montana At the latter agency fraud has been rampant He then asks him to look at the reports from the Shoshones, Bannocks, northern and southern Cheyennes, Arrapahoes, Kiowas, Comanches Utes, and southern Apaches, and asks why they have gone to war or been hostile and turbulent for the last six or seven years, and says it is because of an insufficiency of food, irregularity in its supply and broken promises, and encloses a mass of briefs of reports from officers of the army and others that substantiate this view General Sheridan says the present commissioner is doubtless honest as others were before him, but with all precautions of honesty the system and manner of accountability are too loose for the government of a people of such primitive habits as the Indians and this view is sustained by extracts which he gives from reports to the board of Indian commissioners as well as to the commissioner of Indian affairs.

General Sheridan proceeds to give a history of the removal of the Red Cloud and Spotted Tail agencies from the Missouri river He then refers to the reports of Major Mizner of the southern Cheyenne agency, and Captain Bainbridge Fort Hall agency which are given in full and which show that there may be discrepancies between the figures at Washington of supplies sent to agencies and supplies received, and closes by saying that similar correspondence, showing more grave irregularities from 1863 to 1874, is in the war department and that he has at his headquarters a mass of telegrams and letters on the same subject and of the same import, that can be furnished if necessary, and which cover when and where the Indians have been supplied by the war department some times at the request of the Indian bureau and some times for humanity's sake, that the briefs of irregularities appended are arranged by agencies and that he endorses General Gibbons' and Gen Smith's reports on the same subjects

EUROPEAN NEWS.

One way to Suppress Rebellion.

ST PETERSBURG, Jan 2—The revolt of Tartars at Kasan has been suppressed Two hundred rioters have been publicly flogged

English Strikes

LONDON, Jan 2—Over a thousand dock laborers have struck work at Hull contrary to expectations Nearly all the masons at Sheffield struck against the reduction which they were notified on December 24th would take effect to day

Enough for the Sufferers.

The mayors of Bolton and Oldham have informed Home Secretary Cross that local resources are able to cope with distress at those localities

Death of a Noted Woman.

LONDON, Jan 2—Princess Mary of Lichtenstein, formerly Miss Fox, adopted daughter of Lord Holland and the author of several works, died recently in Syria.

Imperial Celebration.

MOSCOW, Jan 2—A grand national exhibition will be held here in 1880 which will probably be accompanied by great festivities as it will be the twenty fifth anniversary of the emperor's accession to the throne

Strikers with Solid Backing.

LONDON, Jan 2—The miners lodges of South Yorkshire and North Derbyshire are unanimous in [illegible] the proposed reduction [illegible] miners and [illegible] the amalgamated society of engineers, which opposes any increase of hours of labor has according to the last annual report a quarter of a million pounds sterling on hand This union numerically and financially leads other trades unions of the kingdom

A Growl at Denmark

BERLIN, Jan 1—The *North German Gazette* inveighs against the Danish court for giving an official reception to the Guelph deputation which presented the Hanoverian address of loyalty to the duke of Cumberland, at his wedding with Princess Thyra The *Gazette* says this reception oversteps the bounds prescribed by the rules of international intercourse Germany is surprised to see Denmark favoring an anti German tendency and disregarding considerations which she is bound to observe in dealing with the German empire

THE PACIFIC COAST.

CALIFORNIA

Emancipation Anniversary

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 2—The colored residents of Oakland yesterday celebrated the anniversary of the emancipation proclamation with a procession and literary exercises The Sacramento colored zouaves participated in the celebration

From Sydney and Honolulu

The steamer *Australia* from Sydney via Honolulu brings British mails has arrived

California State Teachers' Institute.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 2—The state teachers institute met in Oakland this morning at 10 o'clock at Cameron hall corner Fourteenth and Broadway Dr Cole president of the board of education of the city of Oakland delivered an address of welcome After recess John Swett delivered his annual address A motion was made by one of the members offering the freedom and hospitality of the Oakland board to the ladies and gentlemen present

San Francisco Items.

The condition of Mrs Emma Crossly, who was shot by her husband on Howard street last Monday night is improved The ball, which entered her head, has not been extracted but hopes are entertained of recovery

Clearing House Business.

Operations of the San Francisco clearing house last year were $111 318 000 gold, and $10 370 000 silver

The secretary of the produce exchange has issued circulars soliciting information as to the stock of flour and grain in different parts of the state

Records of the police court show that the Chinese arrested for various offenses during 11 months ending Dec 31, 1878 paid fines amounting in the aggregate to $21 [illegible]

The annual circular of Falkner Bell & Co has the following on the wool clip of the state for the year The California wool product of 1878 reached 41 402 500 pounds, which shows deficit of 11 301 400 pounds as compared with 1878 and 10 148 470 less than 1876

The French Bank

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 31—A meeting of the depositors of the French Savings Bank affiliated with Dennis Kearney was held at Charter Oak hall this evening Kearney made one of his characteristic speeches Resolutions couched in most unvarnished English, translated into equally vigorous French condemning the management of the affairs of the bank, were adopted A committee was appointed to nominate a board of directors to be run against the regular nominees at the coming election

Rain.

Rain has fallen lightly at intervals during the day prospect good for more

The Bullion Yield of the West.

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 31—Wells, Fargo & Co's annual statement of precious metals produced in the states and territories west of the Missouri river including British Columbia and receipts in San Francisco from the west coast of Mexico during 1878, shows the aggregate products as follows Gold $38 956 [illegible] 31 silver $38 746 391 lead $3 452,000 the total being less by $17 267 152 than for 1877 California shows an increase in gold of $2,068 000 but a decrease in silver, etc., of $1 323 000 Nevada shows a total falling off $16,303 341 gold from the Comstock being only $21 295 913 as against $37 911,750 for 1877 Montana shows a marked increase, all in silver and Utah a falling off of over $2 000,000, but nearly $1,000 000 of it is caused by reduced valuation of silver and lead bullion. Although Colorado shows $1,680 802 less than for 1877 the yield has been really better, as reports for 1877 duplicated the product of certain localities, but duplication was discovered soon enough to be corrected in the statement for that year The production by states and territories is as follows

California	$18 920 461	Nevada	$35 181,849
Oregon	1,213 [illegible]	Washington	3,311
Idaho	1 808 122	Montana	9,738,610
Utah	6,046,313	Colorado	6,512,747
New Mexico	453 13	Arizona	2,257,583
Dakota	2,275,504	New Mexico	
British Colum.	1,285,460	West coast	1,504,995

Bullion from the Comstock lode contained 45 per cent of gold and 55 per cent of silver Of so called base bullion from Nevada 30 per cent was gold and of the whole product of the state 35 per cent was gold All probabilities now indicate that the yield of gold and silver from all the sources named for 1879 will not greatly exceed $70,000 000

Gold Discovery in a Public Street.

LOS ANGELES Jan 2—The discovery of a placer gold mine was made this morning on Olvera street in this city Some experiments yielded about twenty five cents of gulch gold per pan A claim was located and application will be made to the city council to-morrow for the privilege of mining in the streets.

Damaging Storm—One Life Lost.

SANTA BARBARA, Jan 1—At about 9 o clock last night a tornado occupying a narrow path struck this city from the southeast and took a destructive course through several blocks Houses fences barns and other outbuildings were blown down or unroofed trees were uprooted their limbs twisted off chimneys tumbled and one life was lost Willie Goss, son of Mr W H M Goss was instantly killed by a falling chimney in his father's house The house was unroofed at the same time The most serious damage to property was that sustained by Stearns wharf about ninety feet of which was carried away by the lumber schooner *Alice* going through it during the night

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 2—The steamer *Australia* from Sydney brings dates to Dec 6th The minister of public works has recommended an important extension to the railway system of the colony increasing them by from 800 to 1 000 miles

The strike of seamen in the employ of the A S N Co continues Proposals have been submitted by each side and rejected on the side of the men They have demanded that the company dispense with all Chinese in their employ while the company have declined to enter into any negotiations for settlement of questions relating to the employment of Chinese until the men return to duty on board their steamer, when they will be willing to submit the matter to arbitration

The government has assumed the entire control and management of the proposed international exhibition of 1879 and the legislative assembly is appealed to for an appropriation of £70 000 in aid of the enterprise

The Australian cricketers after their campaign in England and America, returned to Sydney Nov 24th An enthusiastic and popular demonstration awaited them

QUEENSTOWN Dec 5 Forty eight out of fifty five members have been elected, and the estimate is nineteen ministerial supporters returned, against twenty-four opposition four are undeclared and of the remaining seven probably two will be ministerial and five opposition One half the house will consist of men new to public life

New Zealand

AUCKLAND Dec 8—Sir John Richardson speaker of the legislative council died at Dunedin on the 6th and was to be buried with military honors on Wednesday the 11th ult

The report that the Marquis of Normandy has been offered and has accepted the governorship of Victoria is confirmed His excellency and suite leave for Melbourne during the latter end of this month

A movement is being [illegible] of the Sydney Chinese [illegible] tax upon all Chinese arriving in New Zealand as sailors or laborers and making the captains of vessels responsible for the introduction of Chinese

The minister of works has ordered American sleeping and palace cars for the Grand Trunk line between Christ Church and Dunedin

NEVADA

Death in a Tunnel.

VIRGINIA, Jan 2—About 10 this morning Wm H Solomon a native of New Jersey aged 20 years was instantly killed by the explosion of giant powder in the tunnel of the Occidental W [illegible], a native of Canada, aged 42 was so badly injured that he died soon after.

The fords [illegible] of Polk county may [illegible] Jints, are known as half a gallon o[illegible]

THE "ORGANIZED OFFICES."

The Record Continued

The "Grab" from the Institute for the Blind.

Ditto from the Deaf Mute School

A Swindle of Forty Thousand Dollars in the Modoc War

OREGON INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND

The committee have examined the books and papers relating to the management of this state institution and find the same reckless extravagance as characterized the other state institutions Extravagant bills have been paid without any receipts or any certificates as to the correctness of the same or the necessity for the purchase

For the past few years or a great portion of the time the superintendent in charge appears to have had unlimited license to purchase whatever his fancy or taste dictated The only drawn by warrants of the secretary of state and paid by the state treasurer of his purchases were many of them charged to said superintendent by the tradesman and paid to him by said [illegible] officer and no evidence that the person selling the same was ever paid

For some months prior to September 1878 the pupils have been boarded by the week but the rate paid was the highest rate paid at hotels and yet the state is charged for rent of building, fuel lights water and furniture etc and all this class of bills have been paid in addition to the board of the pupils

The committee also find that S C Simpson has been paid $300 per annum from March 1, 1877 until September 1 1878 Yet the testimony before the committee shows that he performed no service and was acting as private secretary to Secretary and Acting Governor Chadwick and that he was given this amount to eke out his salary as private secretary and was given $300 from the appropriation for support of the Institute for the Blind

See testimony of Mrs Jennie Dawne the teacher of the school which is herewith attached From that testimony it appears that no service was performed and that the sinecure he held was one of those positions that has grown up under the Oregon state administration within the past eight years to reward impecunious favorites at the expense of the taxpayers of the state

Here follows the testimony of Mrs Dawne which is similar to that given in her statement by letter addressed to the speaker of the house while the legislature was in session—ED]

STATEMENT OF S. F. CHADWICK.

Mr Simpson was appointed superintendent of the blind school in March 1877 by the board of education In the fall I think September the teacher Mrs Dawne spoke to me about it My attention was called to the fact that Mr Simpson signed his name to postal cards as superintendent notifying parents of the time when the school would commence I understood the teacher objected to his acting in that capacity and to make it pleasant all round I told Mr Simpson to act as managing agent and that would be satisfactory I did not want to interfere with the province of the teacher and I suppose that Mr Simpson did so sign his name But he failed to comply without my knowledge He explained to me that the reason was Dr Rowland the other member of the board, not knowing what I had said to Mr Simpson directed him to go on as superintendent I do not remember that it was mentioned The point made was that he should not be superintendent as I understood it

[Yet Chadwick drew warrants to pay as superintendent being guilty obviously of the usual duplicity in the whole transaction—ED

DEAF MUTE SCHOOL.

Your committee find on examination of the books and papers of the deaf and mute school that extravagance was practiced in the purchase of supplies from the organization of the school until the system of boarding the scholars by the day was instituted The prices paid were generally 10 per cent at least, higher than the highest retail prices paid by individuals who paid cash for supplies The bills presented are many of them in pencil and a great many of them not receipted The only evidence that they had been paid is that a warrant has been issued by the secretary of state and paid by the treasurer These bills rarely have any certificate of any kind as to the necessity of purchase or the correctness of the bill On November 1 1875 John Gray tendered his resignation as financial agent of the school which resignation was accepted by the board yet he continued to draw his salary until September 1876 It does not appear that he performed any duty and your committee are of the opinion that he performed no service for the state from November 1875 until September 1876 The committee also find that considerable sums were allowed Frank Cooper for services in the years 1877 and 1878 but the character of the services does not appear from any bill that has been paid him

From September 1876 to September 1878 there was allowed one principal who should be also teacher with a salary of one thousand dollars per annum, and one assistant teacher with a salary of four hundred dollars per annum and one matron Now we find there was paid

P S Knight	$1 0[illegible] 50
Mrs P S Knight, assistant	500 00
L C Tuck teacher	1 000 00
Mrs L C Tuck teacher	[illegible] 00
Miss Mary C Watkins teacher	40 00
J H Lerdue teacher	175 00
Total for teachers	$3,252 50

Making $1 0[illegible]0 more than was authorized by law to be paid for teachers Your committee has examined the vouchers carefully that have been issued by the persons having charge of the purchases and find the same extravagance and they bear evidence of great neglect on the part of the secretary of state in allowing such extravagant charges as are made for supplies

Annexed is the testimony of John Gray which shows that he drew his salary for almost a year from November 1875, although he did no service for the school There can be no doubt but the secretary of state knew at the time he issued the warrants to Gray that he was rendering no service to the state Your committee are of the opinion that steps should be taken at once to recover the amount of money illegally paid to Gray

THE MODOC WAR

The committee have had under consideration the conduct of the officers of the state in the conduct of the Modoc war in 1872 and 1873 and find the most gross and glaring frauds ever perpetrated on the people of the state of Oregon by officers connected with the quartermaster's department most notable of which is the quartermaster general J N Barker, and A A Q M Major Quincy A Brooks The first troops appear to have been mustered into service Dec 2 1872 and mustered out the first part of February the second call for troops was mustered into service the first of April and mustered out the fore part of June 1873 Jesse N Barker appears to have drawn pay as quartermaster general until the 10th September, 1878 He appears to have performed no service for months prior to that time J N T Miller, who held the position of commissary general appears to have held the office under pay from December 2 1872 until 15th of November, 1873 and the amount of salary paid to him as commissary general $3,019 21 although there is no reasonable cause given why he should have been under pay for such a length of time after the troops were mustered out of the service It appears that Robert I Miller was paid for service as clerk to the commissary general from the 24th day of April 1873 until the 15th day of October of the same year There is no evidence that his services were necessary that length of time but his vouchers show that he was paid the sum of $1 110, which is a part of the amount of bonds on which the taxpayers of Oregon are now paying interest Major Quincy A Brooks A Q M appears to have had an eye to business from the commencement of hostilities in December 1872 up to February 1874 He faithfully drew his salary himself and made himself conspicuous in looking after other officers, that they too got all there was in sight as the following extract of letter to Major General John F Miller will show

JACKSONVILLE, March 31 1873

Dear General Please inform me as to the rank of Bellinger and Thompson Are they full colonels or merely lieutenant colonels The law makes a difference as to pay In regard to your expenses, I wish to say that the law of 1870 allows mileage at the rate of 10 cents per mile to officers traveling under orders, and all other allowances are prohibited The mileage from Salem to Jacksonville will not cover your expenses Therefore I think it would be better that you be allowed a few days extra time say ten days This is also the opinion of your brother James If you concur with us the papers will be made out that way [Signed]

QUINCY A BROOKS

To GEN JOHN F MILLER, Salem Or

This is an officer holding the position of A Q M [illegible] performed by that officer from Salem to Jacksonville There is however no evidence that Gen Miller accepted the proffered aid of Major Quincy A Brooks Now it is said Brooks retains his position in the service until February 1874 and is afterwards employed as advisory officer by the Auditing Board to audit the accounts for supplies purchased for the service and the other vouchers for services rendered James Walton testifies that Brooks acted as attorney for claimants that as an officer on duty for the protection of the interests of the state It appears that the state administration have had an admiration for Major Quincy A Brooks and have kept him employed in various services such as selecting swamp lands acting as attorney for the state in land matters and as [illegible] and his testimony on file in the land department show him to be a man not to be [illegible] with public funds yet he was continued in some service at a high rate of wages a large portion of the time There is no doubt but that a large amount of Quartermaster's property has never been accounted for The committee have taken from the [illegible] the amount [illegible] Barker and Brooks—not accounted for by them, to made by Barker and Brooks and the annexed list of purchases and a list of the issues and find have cost the tax payers of the state the sum of $13 186 an abstract of which is hereunto attached

The committee also find that most extravagant prices was paid for many articles purchased as the annexed copy of vouchers show From the testimony of James Walton it appears the auditing board composed of Governor Grover Secretary Chadwick and Adjutant General Dennison gave the auditing of these accounts little attention but they appear to have allowed Major Quincy A Brooks to say what should be allowed and appear to have accepted his explanations as to the correctness of each voucher as conclusive and allowed all except in four cases where private soldiers were employed on extra duty The auditing board and their attorney would allow no extra pay for private soldiers performing extra duty when such service was actually performed and where the whole amount claimed was less than $100, yet this same auditing board allowed this same Major Brooks $300 for his services before the board assisting and getting the allowance of months of extra pay allowed to Jesse N Barker quartermaster general James N T Miller commissary general and his own dear self as A Q M with the rank of major in which these officers performed no service for the state The annexed statements of vouchers show for themselves the infamous transactions of some of these officers in time of public danger taking advantage as they did to plunder the state treasury deserves the severest condemnation that can be bestowed by an outraged and plundered people

The committee would recommend to your excellency that immediate steps be taken to bring all parties to an accountability for public property unaccounted for by the quartermaster's department in this war as it is the opinion of the committee that more than $10 000 was plundered from the state by these officers who had charge of the quartermaster and commissary departments, and this conclusion is arrived at after a careful examination of all the vouchers passed upon by the auditing board

In the statement of supplies bought for the state we find charged 31 horses 76 saddles 493 pairs of blankets 82 overcoats 406 shirts 253 pairs boots and 7 tents Of these there are accounted for 2 horses 13 saddles 212 blankets 82 overcoats 401 shirts 169 pairs boots and 1 tent leaving unaccounted for 32 horses, 63 saddles 281 blankets 144 pairs boots and 6 tents, costing the state $13 186

J N T Miller has two vouchers made out in his favor one for $888 11 the other for $2 061 13 his pay being fixed at $291 67 per month being employed over ten months to each of which are attached the certificate of Major General John F Miller to the effect that the account was correct and just and that the services were rendered as stated and the same to Jesse N Barker to the amount of $2 381 77

In the bills of supplies we find syrup at $7 50 per keg flour 5 cents per pound bacon 2 cents per pound sugar 20 cents per pound dried fruit 25 cents per pound and other things in proportion Under date of May 17 1873 Jesse N Barker bought of Abram & Bros, a drug bill amounting to $632

A REJOINDER

PORTLAND Jan 1 1879

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I desire to say through your columns that I am preparing an answer to the report of Galloway and others on the penitentiary affairs and hope the people will withhold further comments on the prison affairs until I can show up in its true light the animosity of the man who made this report and was not a member of the committee After diligent search over my books and accounts for thirty days he was unable to find anything wrong or dishonest He was so enraged that he had me subpenaed before the committee on the last day of its session, and while I was testifying before the committee, this cowardly would be assassin rushed upon me while I was seated in a chair with a six-shooter in his hand already cocked, and had it not been for Hon D P Thompson, he would have no doubt succeeded in his murderous intent Not one word had passed between us that day nor had I mentioned his name to the committee nor did he ever hand me any paper And further, to show that this was a concocted plan, the committee was in session on three or four days within two blocks of my place of business in this city, and I was not summoned or asked to come before them He had his "pal" in the committee room to assist him at that time or be a witness in the future, and a member of the committee informed me that he saw said "pal" leaving the state house with a double barreled shotgun And while I was at the depot he was seen skulking around there with his gun The whole report is a tissue of falsehoods, garbled evidence, and erroneously drawn conclusions, and puts words in my mouth I never uttered Before this question is settled I will show every transaction referred to in the report as honest, straightforward and economical management of the prison A complete set of books, showing every transaction from 1870 to 1877, was turned over to B F Burch, my successor in office, and I hold his receipt for the same, and I have no doubt that the books are now in their proper place and have been all the time The books of 1874 76 and 1877 were before the committee to investigate penitentiary affairs at the last session. I saw them there in the hands of D P Thompson and H F Stratton, members of said committee, they examined them and pronounced them correct (See report of committee of 1878) An affidavit of A M Belt and others was before the committee in regard to the whisky, wine, etc No such amount was ever bought by me and the state never paid for any such amount, and voucher No 640 fully explained the whole transaction Not one drop of this whisky ever went to any prisoner, unless it was given to him in preparing his medicine and then by the physician and I never used a pint of it for myself friends or visitors as I will prove by both wardens of the prison Said voucher was before the committee Of the two items of butter referred to in the report, one lot was bought of Hon J W Nesmith some seven or eight months before the voucher was drawn and the state had the benefit of the interest during that time, and this will show why the two items appeared so close together This item could have been easily explained to the committee as the butter was furnished through Herman & Hirsch of Salem The sand was let to the lowest bidder and was twenty five cents a load less than had been paid by my predecessors, and a large portion of the sand was sold to Geo Collins for the same that the state paid for it And when Mr Osborne swore that five or six loads of sand could be made a day he was very far "off" as everybody knows around Salem that it has to be hauled between five and six miles besides counting the time for ferrying the river I suppose it never occurred to the committee that it cost parties hauling sand anything for ferriage and four loads from the place was a big day's work

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING JAN 3 18

THE TRANSFER OPPOSED

Recent advices from Washington indicate that the proposition to transfer the care and management of the Indians to the army will fail As Gen Crook has pithily said the Indian bureau is a political machine and gives too much influence to the department of the interior to be surrendered without a struggle and the army is not struggling to get it Very few members of congress represent constituencies who are in any danger of having their hair lifted and therefore the argument for security of life and preservation of property in remote parts of the country does not have with them much weight Then there is patronage in the system which the member of congress is not willing to relinquish Again, there is an opposition from the south to every measure which would increase the strength or influence of the army Last session there were indications that the house favored the transfer but finding that the measure would probably prevent reduction of the strength of the army, and that the money for the Indian service passing through army hands would give increased importance to the military establishment members from the south seem to have changed their views Furthermore as Republican politicians do not like to give up so considerable a part of the political machine so Democratic politicians, who hope to carry the next presidential election, do not wish to put this great branch of political business and emolument out of their reach as it would be practically if it were now placed in the hands of the army If this disposition were now made of the Indian service it might be embarrassing to take it back

In the eastern states the generations who dealt with the Indian have wholly passed away Their descendants have no experience of their own, and have entirely forgotten that of their ancestors They think it a great outrage that we of the remote west should press upon the Indian, crowd him to the wall, and virtually take away his life by taking away the means whereby he lives We leave him no recourse but to work or starve But as matter of fact, we are dealing now with the Indian far more kindly than he was dealt with on the banks of the Connecticut, the Hudson and the Ohio We are not trying to exterminate the race as did the forefathers of those who condemn our aggressions while forgetting by what title they hold their own lands There is no better reason why Oregon should have remained a wilderness than Massachusetts, and the persecution of the Indian here has never been attended with a thousandth part of the injustice and ferocity that prevailed there. People grow sentimental when they see injustice through a telescope but are proverbially indifferent when it is presented under their own eyes

Secretary Schurz has made extraordinary efforts to prevent the transfer of the bureau from his department, and there need be no doubt that he is actuated in the matter by a high regard for the public good, as he views it. He has been striving hard to improve the administration of this branch of his department, and to some extent has met with success. Agitation of this subject is doing much to remove abuses and improve the service. It need not be supposed that under army administration there would be no further difficulties. In fact the greatest difficulty is in the Indian himself. Hard as the doctrine is, the only permanent solution seems to be in the virtual extinction of the race, since it is apparent from history and experience that most of them will perish in the transformation The Indian is a child of the soil and will not bear transplanting. Witness the Modocs and Nes Perces, deported to the Indian territory. They are pining and dwindling away. Not on this method, therefore, can the question be settled for the good of the Indian If removed he dies, and if he remains he is crushed under the juggernaut of a vast emigration. Not all will perish, but the Indian, as an Indian, will cease to exist, and probably as the people in our eastern states now do, our descendants after their disappearance will speak of them with pity and regret as a noble race who were not allowed a chance The situation is in every way similar to that presented when the children of Israel overflowed upon the surrounding tribes and crushed and ground them to powder, and the law in this case is as irresistible as then, even though it has not the distinctly spoken sanction or command of divine authority and power. It is the struggle for existence, pervading the whole realm of nature, in which the stronger triumphs

A correspondent at Centerville desires to know how the names Schurz Bayard and Bogy should be pronounced In the first name the final "z" has the sound of "ts" in the second name the second "a" is silent, and in the third, the pronunciation is expressed as nearly as may be by the combination, "Bozhy," or 'Bozhee It is not easy, and often it is not possible, to give exact pronunciation of names by any combination of letters in writing and the above must be taken as the nearest approximation by this method In cases like these subtleties of pronunciation can be learned with exactness only by word of mouth and then often it takes long practice

Senator Conkling we are told is greatly amused over the publication of what purported to be a special dispatch from Washington in the New York *Graphic*, saying that the senator from New York had abandoned all presidential aspirations for 1880 and would hereafter devote himself to securing the renomination of ex President Grant This dispatch was written in New York and made the basis of a glowing editorial on the many virtues of Mr Conkling He has never said that he would not be the next Republican candidate for the presidency

The Washington correspondent of the Richmond (Va) *State* predicts that the petition of the faculty of William and Mary college in Virginia for $65 000, as reimbursement for destruction to property during the war, will not be approved by congress because northern Democrats and some western men of the same party fear that it might open the way to [illegible]

New York *World* That is a pretty and ingenious idea of the Grant managers to start their candidate for the race in 1880 with a big banquet and ball in Boston to which the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise are to invited However notwithstanding the deep impression which Master Ulysses Grant Jr, left upon the royal household in England, it is just among the possibilities that the marquis and princess may decline to discharge the functions of tails to the kite of Messrs Chandler, Logan and Robeson

Toledo *Commercial* The fact is that for the manifest advantage the Republicans now possess over their opponents they are chiefly indebted to the patriotic and statesmanlike policy of President Hayes in respect to the south for had the stupidity of the Stalwarts and the admin[illegible] be not only a 'solid south,' but, at best, a divided north.

THE SWAMP LAND WARRANTS

THE [illegible] ON WHICH THEY ARE PRONOUNCED UNCONSTITUTIONAL—DECISION OF JUDGE BOISE

In compliance with requests from several quarters we print the following judicial opinion

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Marion

H C Owens plaintiff vs the board of commissioners for the sale of school and university lands defendant

This is an application for a mandamus to require the defendant to receive certain state warrants in payments of twenty per cent on swamp lands claimed by the plaintiff as entered by him under the laws of the state

These warrants twenty in number and each for the sum of $500 were drawn by the secretary of state on the state treasurer under the act of the state legislature, approved Oct 21 1876 entitled an act supplemental to an act entitled an act for the construction of a wagon road up the south bank of the Columbia river from near the mouth of Sandy in Multnomah county to The Dalles in Wasco county There is a provision in said act that these warrants shall be received by the state of Oregon together with any interest accruing thereon, at their face, in payment for any of the swamp overflowed or tide lands belonging to the state of Oregon The main question presented by the answer to the petition in this case and insisted on in the argument was that to receive these warrants would impair, if not destroy the value of warrants provided for by other previous acts and drawn on the funds arising from the sale of swamp and overflowed lands, which warrants it was contended, should be paid before the warrants of plaintiff should be received and that the twenty per cent due on his said swamp lands should be paid in coin That is that to receive these warrants in lieu of the coin would impair the obligation of the contract entered into by the state with the holders of these warrants issued before the passage of the act of 21st of October 1876 In considering the questions presented by the pleadings and arguments, I found a question not argued presented by the 23d section of article 4, of the constitution of Oregon, which is as follows 'The legislative assembly shall not pass special or local laws in any of the following cases, and subdivision 7 of said section is for laying, opening and working of highways, and for the election and appointment of supervisors,' and as it seemed to me necessary to consider this clause of the constitution as bearing on the validity of these warrants, I notified the counsel for the plaintiff and defendant, Hons B F Harding and James K Kelly that I would hear arguments as to the constitutionality of the law providing for these warrants and as both these gentlemen have signified that they do not desire to argue the question, I will now consider it without the aid of such argument Those who are familiar with the legislation of the late territory of Oregon or who are familiar with the laws then enacted, know that a large number of territorial roads were created by the territorial legislature, and it was to prevent and do away with such legislation that this provision was inserted in the constitution Then the questions to be considered, are First—Is this a special or local law ? It is special for it provides for a particular road, and is also local pertaining to a line along the Columbia river from Sandy to the Dalles Second—Is it for the laying, opening and working on a highway ? Section 2 of the act of Oct 23, 1872 to which the said act of Oct 21, 1876, is supplemental provides for laying out and constructing said road and these warrants were issued to pay for carrying on that work, and these lands come literally within the inhibition of section 23 of art 4 of the constitution, and are therefore void, and it follows as legal sequence that the warrants issued in pursuance of these acts are void also, and not receivable in payment for swamp lands It is with reluctance that a court at any time decides an act of the legislature unconstitutional, and is not warranted in so doing, where the question of constitutionality is involved in much doubt In this case I think there is no doubt but the law of the 21st of Oct , 1876, is in direct conflict with that clause of the constitution above cited, and it becomes my duty to so determine Having arrived at this conclusion as to the constitutionality of the law creating the warrants, it is not necessary to consider the other questions presented by the pleading and arguments The writ of peremptory mandamus will be refused R P BOISE, Judge

PARDONS—A BAD PRACTICE CORRECTED

SALEM, Dec 31 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

News gatherers announce that Gov Thayer has pardoned some convicts confined in the penitentiary This is a mistake He has granted no pardon and restored no convict to citizenship He has in some instances remitted the unexpired portion of the sentence, which operates simply as a release from confinement A vicious practice of granting every prisoner a pardon when discharged had grown up in the state, dating back through Gov Woods' administration, and, possibly, through that of Gov Gibbs It was followed by Govs. Grover and Chadwick It is doubtful if such "pardon" ought to have restored to citizenship but Judge Boise, I think, some years ago decided that it did and the decision has ever since been accepted as the law And all discharged rogues have participated in our elections been competent jurors and exercised all the other forfeited powers of the citizen Gov Thayer refuses to follow this vicious rule and, it is understood will restore no convict to citizenship except in special and very meritorious cases Few if any such are likely to arise

CAPITAL

A First Rate "Personal,"

[From the Burlington Hawkeye]

Will the young man in the blonde overcoat and a liver-colored hat who sang "The Heart Bowed Down with Grease and Hair," out on West Hill at 1 A M , please repeat his concert this evening at the same place, and stand a little away from the lamp post so the audience can get a good crack at him with a lump of coal, without endangering the property of the gas company ?

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At the residence of Mr Tomlinson East Portland Dec 31 1878, by Rev H C Jenkins Isaac Chapman of Grant Co , to Miss Sarah Giles

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GEO W LITTOCK K of R and S

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the district of Oregon—ss In the matter of J H Fairchilds George Fairchilds L Shogren & J E Peterson partners under the firm name of the Oneatta Mill Co bankrupts Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by John E Peterson one of the above named bankrupts duly declared a bankrupt under the act of March [illegible] 1867 for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said act and that the [illegible]th of January 1879 is assigned for the hearing of the same before H H Northup Esq register in bankruptcy, at his office in Portland in said district when and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

j3dlaw3F R. H. LAMSON, Clerk of U. S. District Court.

NEW TO-DAY.

SITUATION WANTED

AS A PORTER OR TO DO ANY KIND OF work address GEORGE BUSH, care this office j3l w

SMALL HOUSE TO LET

AND FURNITURE FOR SALE APPLY TO CREIGHTON & CO Real Estate Agents [illegible] First street j3lt

LAW FIRM.

WM STRONG F R STRONG AND THOMAS N STRONG Attorneys at Law have this day formed a copartnership for the practice of their profession under the name and style of WM STRONG & SONS Office Rooms [illegible] & [illegible] Dekum's Building corner Washington and First streets Portland Or Jan 1 18[illegible] j31lm

SPECIAL SALE

OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE!

We will sell at the residence No 1[illegible] Columbia St between Front and First on account of departure [illegible]

SATURDAY, 4th, at 10 A. M

Handsome Parlor Set, Centre Table
Blk Walnut Bedsteads, Whatnot,
Blk Walnut Bureaus, marble top
Washstands, Chairs
Carpets, Pictures,
Mattresses, Cook Stove
Kitchen Furniture, Crockery, etc .

CREIGHTON & CO .
AUCTIONEERS

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OF
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE!

We will sell at our Auction Salesroom

THIS DAY,
FRIDAY, JAN. 3, 1879
At 10 o clock A M
On account of departure

Parlor Sets Bedroom Sets,
Spring and Top Mattresses,
Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands
Carpets, Crockery, Blankets,
Spreads, Pillows, Curtains, Mirrors,
Cutlery, Tables. Chairs, etc , etc
ALSO
For account of whom it may concern
1 bbl. Hams,
4 cases Sardines,
100 bxs Soap,
113 mats Rice,
50 cases Coal Oil .

GILMAN & YOUNG, Auctioneers

COAL OILS.

DOWNER'S, 150° Fire Test.
STAR, " " "
ASTRAL, " " "
NONPAREIL, " " "

And all the cheaper brands at the lowest market rates

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Wholesale Druggists

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The Great English Remedy

CURES

NERVOUS DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECLINE Muscular Weakness Lost Manhood Defective Memory Paralysis, Despondency and all conditions Produced by youthful indiscretions or excesses in mature years. Price $2 00 per bottle, or 4 times the quantity for $10, sent to any address by the proprietor

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CITY LICENSES.

LICENSES FOR THE CURRENT QUARTER are now due, and payment therefor must be made on or before the 10th inst., at my office, 122 First street.

Liquor Dealers must have their bonds approved before payment can be made

JOSEPH BACHMAN,
Treasurer City of Portland.
Portland, October 1, 1878.

Attention is called to the following extract from Ordinance No 1,14[illegible]:

All taxes licenses, assessments for street improvements etc etc * * * * and all moneys arising from any other source belonging and payable to or into the City Treasury shall hereafter be paid in gold coin of the United States of America and not otherwise *provided* that sums not exceeding five dollars ($5) may be paid in silver coin j3 310t

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT for the district of Oregon—ss In the matter of J. H Fairchilds George Fairchilds L Shogren and J E Peterson, partners under the firm name of Oueatta Mills Company bankrupts Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by L Shogren one of the above named bankrupts duly declared a bankrupt under the act of congress of March [illegible] 1867 for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said act and that the [illegible]th day of January 1879 is assigned for the hearing of the same before H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy at his office in Portland in said District when and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted R. H. LAMSON

j3dlaw3 F Clerk of U S District Court

NOTICE OF FINAL MEETING IN BANKRUPTCY—In the U. S. District Court District of Oregon In the matter of Phelan & O Regan Bankrupts In Bankruptcy This is to give notice that by order of said Court there will be held on the [illegible]th day of January A D 1879 at 10 o clock A M at Portland Oregon, in said district, at the office of H H Northup Register in Bankruptcy for said district the final meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts, at which time and place I shall file my final accounts as assignee of the estate of Phelan & O Regan bankrupts and apply for a settlement of the same and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate in accordance with the provisions of section 5093 of the U S Revised Statutes

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HOLIDAY ADVERTISEMENTS

Presents for the Holidays.

Tool Chests, for Boys and G[illegible]
Club Skates, Peck & Snyder
Flowerpot Brackets, in all styles
Sets of Carving Knives & Forks
Forks and Spoons, silver Plated
AT
THOMPSON, DeHART & CO'S,
Importers of
Hardware, Iron, Steel,
HARDWOOD LUMBER, COAL, &c.
Yamhill, cor. Front and First streets.

NEW TO-DAY.

NEW MARKET THEATER.

JOHN MAGUIRE MANAGER
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Engagement of the Popular Young Tragedian

MR. SAMUEL PIERCY

Who will appear in his great impersonation of

INGOMAR!

THIS FRIDAY JANUARY 3d,
Only performance of

INGOMAR!

Two souls with but a single thought
Two hearts that beat as one

SATURDAY AFTERNOON
Grand Piercy Matinee
And last performance of
The Duke's Motto!

Saturday Evening Jan 4 only performance of
TICKET-OF-LEAVE MAN
Monday Evening, Jan 6th
THE TWO ORPHANS

COME AND SEE US.

We are now opening an Importation of

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Ex Pomerania and Vancuer Frisia from Paris DIRECT suitable for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

Old Corner Drug Store,
UNDER THE TOWN CLOCK

C. H. Woodard & Co.
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GLAD TIDINGS!

172 First St , bet. Morrison & Yamhill.

TAKE NOTICE.

In compliance with the desire of country customers unable to visit the city before the Holidays. the

Grand Silver Gift Sale!

will be continued until

Saturday, January 4th, 1879.

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Every customer purchasing goods to the amount of $2 50 and upwards will receive a

SILVER GIFT.

The larger the purchase the more elaborate the gift.

Received per "Idaho," Dec. 26,

50 doz Huck Towels 21x42	$1 7[illegible] pr doz
50 " small	75c per doz
Ladies Vel Satchels silver clasps	[illegible]c
Elegant Fur Caps for Children	[illegible]0@75c
Grey and White Blankets	$1 75 pr pair
White Silk Handkerchiefs	25c each
Gents Silk Hdk fs superb	75c each
2000 Lace Handkerchiefs	5c each

The usual new Bargains received per every steamer from Auction, Sheriff and Bankrupt sales.

BALLS AND PARTIES

GRAND BALL!

Second Anniversary Ball
OF THE
Ancient Order of Hibernians!

To be given on the Anniversary of the

BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS!

Jan. 8th., 1879,

—AT—

TURN VEREIN HALLE.

Committee of Arrangements

M J G[illegible] [illegible]
C E Purtin C O Brien
J J Winters T Walton
John McCallig, [illegible]

PORTLAND GYMNASIUM,
Front Street, near Morrison
GRAND FREE OPENING!
—ON—
Wednesday Evening, December 18, 1878,

THIS RESORT WILL BE OPEN EVERY day and evening and is a place where all can attend and spend an evening in pleasant and healthful exercise Matches in athletic sports will be introduced [illegible] Daily and illustrated papers on file. d17

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CREIGHTON & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,
And Real Estate Agents.
312 First Street, bet. Salmon and Taylor

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING.

JUST RECEIVED,
AT
J. F. D Wrinkle & Co's,
[illegible]31 First Street, corner Salmon,

300 doz. French 4-Button Kid Gloves.
Every pair warranted $1 per pair worth $[illegible]

300 doz. French 2-Button Kid Gloves,
In Black Opera and Dark Shades at 50c per pair worth $1

A Large Stock of NEW STYLE
DRESS GOODS,
At [illegible]c per yard

CASHMERES.

Black Cashmere, 36 inch wide	45 per yd
Black Cashmere 38 inch wide all wool	75c per yd
Black Cashmere 40 inch wide,	$1 per yd

ZEPHYR WOOLS,
All Colors.
Slipper and Cushion Patterns.
CARD BOARDS,
In Plain, Colored Silver and Gilt.
A LARGE STOCK OF
Gents Furnishing Goods,
From Bankrupt Sale 50 per cent below cost

HOLIDAY ADVERTISEMENTS.

GREAT BARGAINS
FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

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Initial Handkerchiefs,

I have an immense stock of Ladies and Gentlemen's Initial Handkerchiefs which I will sell below cost Gents Handworked Initial Handkerchiefs direct from France $1—former price $1 50 Ladies Initial Handkerchiefs 50 cts and upward

You can buy a handsome

SILK DRESS

And save 50 per cent by purchasing of me

GREAT BARGAINS

In Ties Ruchings Gloves
Shawls Velvets Ribbons
Millinery Dress Goods Cloaks, etc

Persons desiring to engage in the dry goods business can secure a great bargain by calling at the

The City of Paris Store,
MRS. H. ACH,
Cor Second and Morrison Streets.

Watches and Jewelry
FOR THE HOLIDAYS!
J. B. MILLER,
Watchmaker and Jeweler,
129 FIRST STREET,
Has just received a Fine Assortment of
JEWELRY, SOLID SILVER AND PLATED WARE, CLOCKS, Etc.
Ladies and Gents' Fine
GOLD STEM-WINDING WATCHES,

manufactured especially for me and particularly for this market, by the celebrated manufacturers Patek Phillipe & Co , Geneva whose watches are far superior timekeepers to any made d12d1m

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

[illegible]'S RESTAURANT
REOPENED!
North side Washington bet Second and Third

MAISON DOREE.
Cor. Washington and Front Streets.
G. VOOS

HAS THE PLEASURE OF ANNOUNCING that he has fitted up the above place, and has opened it as a FIRST CLASS RESTAURANT

Oysters in every Style.

FOURNIER'S
Central Market Coffee Stand
AND RESTAURANT.
FIRST CLASS MEALS
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

NORTON HOUSE,
Corner C and First Streets, Portland, Ogn,
P NORTON, PROPRIETOR

Situated close to Railroad and Steamship offices
Street Cars pass the House every five minutes

Rare Chance for Business.

PINKHAM & SAXE,

PROPRIETORS OF THE CLOTHING & GENTS Furnishing Goods Establishment in Seattle W T on the corner of Commercial and Washington sts have concluded to retire from business on account of ill health and they offer their entire stock and Fixtures to any parties who desire to engage in a first class business at a great bargain Their store is situated in one of the best locations in Seattle and the firm are doing a good steady business Any one can get the whole Stock fixtures and business on the easiest and most liberal terms by calling at the store or corresponding with the firm d tf

C. G. LININGTON, Banker,
Colfax, W. T.
Special attention paid to COLLECTIONS,
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REMOVAL.

DANIEL J. MALARKEY,

PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANT AND Dealer in Feed has this day removed to Nos 1[illegible] and 12 Front St Central Block

JOHN L. GEORGE,
CUTLER,
No 230 First Street,

Manufacturer and Dealer in CUTLERY and FANCY GOODS Only Professional Cutler in the city Razors Shears Knives Skates or any cutting instruments made to order ground and repaired reasonable [illegible]

[illegible]AN BROTHERS,
Manufacturers of
Brooms and Wooden Ware
And Importers of
WILLOW WARE.
Nos. 12 and 14 North Front Street.

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Auctioneer,
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Auctioneers and Commission
MERCHANTS.
No 42 First Street, bet Pine and Ash

Auction Sales of Real Estate Furniture General Merchandise Horses Cattle Buggies &c
Regular Sale Days TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS at 10 o clock A M

HOLIDAY ADVERTISEMENTS.

RUMMELIN &
GUTMANN,
82 First Street,
Between Stark and Oak Portland Oregon

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Have on hand a complete Stock of FURS for
LADIES, MISSES AND GENTLEMEN,
SUCH AS
SEAL AND MINK SACQUES!

Only of STRICTLY the very best quality Good fits guaranteed stylish and durable

CHOICE SETS IN
Sable, Seal, Mink and Marten!
Large Assortment of Sets in
Coneys, Muskrat, Astrachan & Squirrel
of full size and with extra strong imported Lining Also the same in Children's Sets.
BUGGY ROBES & RUGS.
Of all descriptions
FUR TRIMMINGS
Of a Large Variety
Dogskin and Buckskin Gloves
Well made and good fits.
All of which we offer at prices lower than ever [illegible]

HERE WE ARE!

The up-town Store is heard from.

HOLIDAY GOODS.
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S. HERMAN,
First and Madison Streets,
Offers a full Line of
Dry Goods,
Clothing.
Ladies' Dress Goods,
Boots, Shoes,
Hats & Caps,
Etc., Etc.,Etc.
All of which are suitable for HOLIDAY PRESENTS
Complete Stock of
Groceries and Provisions.

ALBERT BARTSCH,
Piano Maker and Tuner,
Sole Agent for the World Renowned

Kranich & Bach PIANOS,
Gabler's New Scale Upright PIANOS.
Burdett ORGANS.
Fine Piano Stools and Cloth Covers.
Tuning and Repairing of Instruments a specialty
Warerooms—Third St. near Taylor, Portland, Ogn.

S. A. NAHON,
Corner First and Taylor Streets
Just received and opening out the
The Finest Assortment of
IMPORTED
HAVANA CIGARS
And Cigarretos.
EVER BROUGHT TO PORTLAND
Have on hand a fine Stock of
Havana, Mixed & Seed Cigars,
Manufactured at my own establishment corner of Morrison and First streets and not by mould, and
ONLY BY WHITE MEN!
A full stock of SMOKERS ARTICLES can also be found at my store dodlm

A NEW CARRIAGE BRAKE!

To the Public!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS INVENTED A NEW device for Carriage Brakes and having received notice from the Patent Office that his CAVEAT is now on file in that office, he now offers the same to the public with the utmost assurance that a want much needed can now be realized and all danger in passing over hilly roads and down steep grades can be averted Persons wishing to examine this new Carriage Brake can do so by calling at the Livery Stable of GODARD & MANN where one can be seen in actual use.

For the manufacture of these Brakes call on Mr SNYDER opposite J Honeyman's foundry Front street For the purchase of County or State rights apply to S B STORY East Portland or to

J C FRANKLIN
ja1d1m Lena Umatilla Co Oregon

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COUNTING HOUSE STATIONERY.
(A COMPLETE STOCK)
BLANK BOOKS
Manufactured to Order
AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES
CONE & M'KERCHER,
40 First Street, Opposite New Bank Building d11tw

Salem Bakers' & Superfine
FLOUR!
For sale by SALEM FLOURING MILLS CO Salem or
WM. S. SIBSON,
AGENT
17 North Front Street, Portland

I OFFER FOR SALE.
40 cases Genuine Rhine Wines,
Fine French Red and White Wines,
Fine Riesling, Traminer, etc
Best California Red and White Wines
All Wines Warranted Pure A No. 1.
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36 and 44 Washington St.

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Regular Sale Days, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

WILL PURCHASE AND SELL REAL ESTATE Merchandise Furniture etc.

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WANTED

A WIDOW LADY JUST FROM THE EAST desires a situation as housekeeper either in a hotel or private family Address J M this office

WANTED.

AN EXPERIENCED TELEGRAPHER AND RAILroad man desires work Would gladly assume duties of operator and clerk in any legitimate business on this coast. Address H C W this office. ja1d3twlt

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FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

ROOMS TO LET WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD Location most desirable Apply at 91 Taylor street d11

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A FINE SUIT OF ROOMS SUITABLE FOR TWO gentlemen or man and wife can be had with board N W cor Washington and East Park sts.

TO LET

A NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, WITH bath for rent by a small private family three minutes from P O convenient to restaurant location every way desirable Address with reference M M M Postoffice d26d6t

FOR RENT.

CARUTHERS LARGE BARN. MONTHLY rent fifteen dollars Apply to JOHN BELLWOOD Milwaukie d3d1m

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80 ACRE FARM FOR SALE—2 MILES EAST of Portland with House, Barn and other improvements price $900 cash apply Box 217, Postoffice Portland d1tf

LAND FOR SALE.

320 ACRES OF LAND DIRECTLY ACROSS the river from Oswego Price twenty five dollars an acre Apply to JOHN SELLWOOD Milwaukie d6d1m

GREAT BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO DRAW THE attention of the public to the fact that he has in his hands for sale several lots and blocks in East Portland principally in Stephens' Addition, some with houses thereon and others vacant, which he will dispose of at a very low price and on easy terms as he desires to close up the business connected with said land as soon as possible, title perfect For further particulars apply to WASH F ALLEN, at Kirk Sheldon's Hardware Store J street, East Portland a1d1m

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BR SHIP "LUTTERWORTH" CAPT PEARSON from New Zealand Neither the captain nor the undersigned consignees of the above named vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew 31st RODGERS MEYER & CO.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. E. A. JONES,
Office—3 and 4 Savings Bank Building,
50 First Street, bet Pine and Ash.

PIPER & DONOVAN,
ARCHITECTS,
Office in Terwilliger's Building, Room No. 3, cor Morrison and First street.

JULES KNAPP,
ARCHITECT,
Church's Building S E cor First and Morrison sts

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BLANK BOOKS

Made from B Weston's Celebrated Ledger Paper and in WARRANTED BINDINGS,
No Books equal to the above are to be found anywhere in this city.

Also a fine Stock of
EXCELLENT BLANK BOOKS!
OF THE LOWER GRADES
For sale at
J. K. GILL & CO'S,
107 First Street.

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DO YOU WANT TO BUY CHRISTMAS PRESENTS? Well A BESCHEINEN can suit your taste if anybody can The largest assortment of

DIAMONDS, WATCHES,

and tasteful JEWELRY you will find at the corner of Front and Morrison sts., No. 15[illegible], at

A. BESCHEINEN'S,
Jeweler and Watchmaker.

Lowest Prices Largest assortment only here. Give me a call and look at my splendid stock
A. BESCHEINEN
Jeweler and Watchmaker.

JAMES H. KOONTZ,
Umatilla, Oregon,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION
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RATES REDUCED.
A large Fire-Proof Warehouse for storage. Also dealer in
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, GROCERIES Hardware and
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
(Established in 186[illegible].)
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Woodchoppers' & Timber Contractors'
TOOLS.
P C Perkins' FALLING AXES,
P C. Perkins' CHOPPING AXES
P C. Perkins' SCORING AXES.
P C. Perkins' DOUBLE-BITTED AXES
P C. Perkins' STEEL WEDGES.
P C. Perkins' STEEL SLEDGES.
P C. Perkins' MATTOCKS.

Above goods are all made to my order and to my pattern of BEST QUALITY OF STEEL. Also keep Atkins GENUINE Diamond Silver Steel Cross Cut Saws, at $1 50 per foot. And IMITATION Diamond Saws at 60c per foot (same pattern as kept in Portland)

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SEASONABLE GROCERIES!
White Crystal Drip Syrup,
Fresh Buckwheat Flour,
Curicola Coffee. Finest and only lot brought to this city
Fancy Crackers,
Canned Goods, Etc., Etc.
WEEKS & MORGAN.
Third and Morrison streets
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries

HAMILTON BOYD HARRY C. BOYD
H. BOYD & SON,
Insurance Brokers & Adjusters,
Fire, Marine, Life and Accidental.
Insurance placed in any Company doing business in Oregon or Washington Territory
N E. Cor First and Washington Streets
PORTLAND OREGON

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CITY.

BURNED TO DEATH—Wm Martin a wood chopper who has for some time been at work on the place of Mr Olif Johnson five and a half miles west of this city on the Taylor's bridge road was burned to death in his cabin during Wednesday night A day or two ago he came to this city and bought a quantity of liquor taking it home where he got hopelessly drunk His pard had occasion to be away from their cabin for some hours during Wednesday night and on returning found in its place a heap of smouldering ruins and in their midst the charred body of Martin The fire had evidently communicated from the open fire place to a large quantity of pitchwood kindlings and had so destroyed the cabin and its drunken inmate An unbarred door was within two feet of where the insensible man lay when his friend left, and had he been able to stir at all he might easily have escaped Martin was of middle age and so far as we can learn had no family

A ROW—About 11 o clock Wednesday evening, a row occurred in a house of low resort on Pine street the proprietress of which is Nancy Boggs between two men named respectively David Gilchrist and Andrew Olsen. The men became involved in a quarrel during which Olsen thrust his hands into his pockets as if to draw a weapon Gilchrist immediately grappled with him In the scuffle which ensued Gilchrist drew his pistol and gave Olsen a severe punch in the corner of the right eye, inflicting quite a painful but not a serious injury He then fired his pistol at the ceiling three times and immediately ran out of the house Officer [illegible] reached the scene a few minutes after the shooting and soon overhauled Gilchrist at Mrs. Fatty s house Complaint was entered against him and he waived an examination and was held to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of $200

LOSSES AND INSURANCE—As nearly as can be ascertained the following losses were sustained by the fire of Tuesday night also the insurance Mr Charles Cardinel, five buildings, $25,000, insured in London Liverpool and Globe, $3,000 J McCabe lessee of hotel $1,500, insurance, $1,000, damage to Mo[illegible] building on Third street, $1 000 no insurance John Carson $2 000, fully insured in Home Mutual P Fay, $100 Mr Camp [illegible], on furniture, fully insured Fay & [illegible], $3 000, insured in New Zealand [illegible] McIntyre, of the Wisconsin Hotel [illegible] no insurance There are other losses by removal and damage to furniture which will [illegible] 2,000 more including the residence of [illegible] Hatch, occupied by Mrs Tuttle, which is damaged to the extent of $500 and furniture [illegible] additional Messrs. Marshall and Robinson also claim a loss of $500 each by removal.

THE KATIE L. HERON—This little schooner reached her place of destination Tillamook [illegible], after a very rough voyage of 21 days, all O K to herself but was obliged to throw considerable of her cargo in order to outride the storm The heaviest losers were L'Oms, T P Hutchins and Chas Miller But the saddest of the whole were two private individuals one a poor widow whose whole winter supply was thrown overboard, the other a new comer, who worked all summer in order to earn enough to lay in a winter supply, and he lost everything Loss to underwriters, as ascertained by A S Gross [illegible] master, does not exceed $1 200 other [illegible] of damage and jettison do not exceed [illegible] The schooner may be looked for in the port of Astoria to-day

DEATH OF SOL. HIRSCH—Mr J B Hirsch, brother of Hon Sol Hirsch state senator from Multnomah county and Ed Hirsch, state treasurer died at his home in Salem on Wednesday, after a long illness Deceased had resided in Salem for many years where he has been engaged in merchandizing For some time past Mr Hirsch has been in poor health. He was a most estimable citizen strictly honorable in all the relations of life, and greatly respected by all who knew him. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his departure from the walks of life. In respect to the memory of the deceased, the large wholesale house of Fleisch[illegible], Mayer & Co, was closed yesterday

BOAT RACE—Wednesday the much talked of boat race came off on the Willamette river The course was from the foot of C street to Ross' Island and return The following boats were entered *Lutterworth Savona, Strathearn Brodick Bay, Hannah Land, Dart Bay Cadzow Forest Prince Amadeo* [illegible] and *Nairnshire* The first prize was awarded to the *Oban Bay*—a music box and the second prize, *Cadzow Forest*, $40, third [illegible], *Nairnshire*, $25 The distance was a little over four miles, and the best time thirty eight minutes.

HIMES' CALENDARS—Himes the irrepressible typographical genius, is out again with a great number of calendars for the new year As may be reasonably supposed the work has been executed in the highest degree of the art Neat handsome and convenient is what is the matter with these calendars Himes doesn t take a back seat in the printing business He is as good as the best of them, as a careful and critical examination of his work will show

STEAMER "S T CHURCH"—Says a Yamhill exchange "This boat which was so unfortunate, will be all right yet, notwithstanding the reports of the metropolitan press that she would go to pieces and that the loss of the cargo would amount to $8 000 or $10 000 We have been credibly informed by a gentleman who saw the *Church* on Saturday last that she had been about gotten off the bar that the damage to the boat is but slight and that the loss on freight will not exceed $1 000

CROWBAR LOST—During the fire Tuesday evening a splendid steel crowbar belonging to Columbia Engine Co, No 3, was lost The engine was located at the intersection of D and Sixth streets, and the crowbar was lost somewhere between the cistern and fire The bar was stamped with a figure "3" Any one finding the bar and leaving the same at either the engine house of No 3 or the Willamette iron works will confer a great favor

S.S. CALIFORNIA—This steamer has been lying at St Helens for several days not deeming it prudent to load at this city owing to the condition of the Columbia and Willamette rivers The steamer *J C Ordway* towed down a considerable quantity of freight to the *California* Wednesday afternoon. The *California* sailed for Sitka early Thursday morning.

SENT BELOW—The remains of the late W [illegible] Badger, who died at the Holton house of typhoid fever on Saturday evening last were sent to California on the *Idaho* Four years ago Mr. Badger had an agency here for pianos and organs, and recently was traveling for Buckingham & Hecht, of San Francisco and was well and favorably known here

NEW YEAR'S PAPER.—A large number of the DAILY OREGONIANS issued January 1st remain on hand. The demand for these papers has been great, but the supply is not yet exhausted The paper of the date indicated is just the one as is desired for future reference Price 10 cents per copy Call before the edition has been exhausted

[illegible]—The treasury of the St Vincent de Paul Society is nearly empty and we understand that an entertainment is projected for the purpose of replenishing it. Next month all charitably disposed citizens will have an opportunity to aid this most worthy organization

ST. STEPHEN'S CHAPEL—Divine service will be held in the chapel to-morrow at 11 o'clock, and at 4 o clock choral service at 7 o clock evening prayers with sermon in St [illegible] mission chapel, corner of First and Caruthers street The Rev John Rosen[illegible] officiating

WEEKLY OREGONIAN—The current number of this magnificent publication is just out and ready for sale at the counter If is one of the best numbers ever issued With or without wrappers only 10 cents per copy for sale at the business office.

THIEVES AT FIRES

At the fire on New Year s Eve, the thieves did a very lively business and many articles were taken away from the houses that were burned as well as some that were not of which no trace can be found by the owners similar complaints have been made at former fires but at this last one it appears that there was cause for them on a very extensive scale In fact it is said an express wagon was constantly employed during the continuance of the fire hauling things away and that none of them so taken have been recovered by the owners One of the parties whose household furniture was removed found a man emptying the more valuable part of the contents of a bureau into his capacious overcoat pockets In the excitement of the moment the thief got away with a number of articles and no arrest was made The police force seem not to have been on hand in very strong force nor perhaps could they have done much to prevent the thieving that was carried on unless they had been put in charge of the buildings before the goods were removed The entire household furniture of Messrs Tuttle Marshall and Robinson was taken out of their houses and scattered on the streets or carried away by thieves Much of their furniture was broken some entirely lost and even the buildings somewhat defaced by the manner in which the furniture was removed The fire did not injure the interior of the buildings, though the roofs of them all were on fire Nor was there any damage to them by water Still their aggregate losses were very considerable all from carelessness in removing and theft It is suggested that these losses are greater than is necessary, and that a system might and ought to be adopted that would in a great measure put a stop to losses from these causes in the future This could be done by detailing a number of men either firemen or policemen whose duty should be at all fires to take charge of the buildings which are threatened by the flames and allow no unknown parties to enter them and others should be appointed to watch the goods after their removal These men should fully understand their duty and should be held responsible for its faithful performance By this or some similar plan, there could be much good effected and heavy loss prevented At almost every fire of any magnitude the light fingered gentry are on hand, and with others whose purposes are honest, are the first to rush into houses adjacent to the fires and to help in removing the furniture Their zeal in saving property is prompted by the opportunity afforded them to steal, and against their depredations there is no insurance Let those who have the authority in such matters the police and fire departments and the insurance men take hold of this subject and see if they cannot devise some plan by which order may be brought out of the chaotic state of affairs which prevails in regard to the removal of goods from burning or threatened buildings in every case of fire

RIVER NEWS

For several days past the Columbia river has been so filled with floating ice that no steamer has been able to reach the Cascades.

Thursday morning the steamer *Bonita* started down the river for Astoria She was seen to pass Kalama safely, and probably reached her destination in good time

The new steamer *Lurline* has not been able to reach Vancouver for several days The steamer crosses to the landing on the opposite side of the Columbia from the mouth of the Willamette river

The O S N Co s steamer *Dixie Thompson* left Astoria Thursday morning at 5 o clock for Portland arriving here at 5 o clock last evening Considerable ice was met on the way up and the steamer arrived here in a badly damaged condition She was taken to the boneyard and will be repaired No boat will be sent down the river this morning

Both the steamers *Geo W Elder* and *Great Republic* started down the river for Astoria It is not known definitely whether or not they have reached their destination, as much ice was found in the Columbia However as the *Dixie Thompson* came up by way of the slough the smoke from the two steamers was plainly visible across the island as they were steaming down the river

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MARKET THEATER.—The Duke s Motto received its fourth representation last evening at the New Market Theater and was witnessed by a most appreciative audience The assemblage was not as large as the fame of the actor Mr Piercy or the merits of the performance deserved We hope, however at the performance this evening which will be the presentation of Lovell s beautiful play of Ingomar, with Mr Piercy in the title role the house will be well filled This will be the only opportunity of witnessing this charming play as Tom Taylor s sensational drama of "The Ticket of Leave Man" will be the attraction for Saturday evening At the matinee on Saturday afternoon by general desire the Duke s Motto will be given, and on Monday next we are promised the romantic drama of "The Two Orphans," produced with new scenery by Mr Porter

UP THE COLUMBIA.

Dispatches received from up the Columbia at 6 30 o clock last evening indicate the following condition of the weather at the points named

Wallula—Clear ther 8° river full of thick ice

The Dalles—Clear, ther 2½° calm

Walla Walla—clear ther 10°

Cascades—Clear ther 27° river running full of ice from shore to shore

Hood River—Clear ther 16°, river full of ice

BUSINESS NOTICES

In another column will be found the advertisement of Smith Bros. & Watson, whose large foundry and machine shop is located on South Front street, between Hall and Harrison All orders promptly and satisfactorily filled

The attention of the public is called to the law card of Judge Wm Strong Fred Strong and Thos N Strong These gentlemen have associated themselves together and are prepared to transact any legal business For full particulars see professional announcement in another column

CRIMINAL CASES—There are three criminal cases to be tried in the state circuit court State vs Jacob Swards, murder in the first degree State vs Jackson Grant murder in the first degree G H. Crabb arson

ARRIVED—A dispatch from Astoria at 7 30 o clock last evening says that the steamer *California* from Portland had arrived there There was no wind and the bar was smooth

For a nice fitting and stylish suit ladies be sure to call at the popular IXL

P L Brigham has the largest and best stock of Ladies and Children s wool hosiery in the city which he will sell for the next 30 days regardless of cost. First street next to Ladd s Bank

Ladies wishing to get elegant ready made suits for Christmas will do well to call at Mrs Pilger s, the leading dressmaker of Portland Alder street near First

Don t forget to call to day and take a sitting at Abell s. You know it is best to do to day what might be done to-morrow

For nice stylish bonnetts hats infant wardrobes and bridal outfits go to Mrs Ach s Paris Store

For information go to Oregon Intelligence Office No 213 First st Price & Maxwell

Barnes & Co 66 First prepare excellent meals daily from 6 A M to 12 P M

Damiana is an Herb

Go to Ackerman Bros

The Weber Pianos are the best

[illegible]

Girls let s go to Stone s for some of his candies and nuts

THE GEM ASTORIA.—Connected with Peter Wilhelm s Astoria is a Ship Masters Reading Room where the latest shipping papers are on file. Also Homeward and Outward Bound List. Western Union Telegraph Office next door

INTERESTING TO LADIES—Dickey s Creme de Lis has now been before the public for ten years during which time this beautiful preparation has met with the highest approval at the hands of the fair sex—being as all who have used it will verify—the only perfect preparation of its kind Every ingredient entering the composition of Dickey s "Creme de Lis" is subjected to the most rigid test of modern Chemistry to insure the uniformity and purity of its combination and neither time nor expense have been spared to make it perfect—it being well known the public will appreciate and support a truly meritorious article Several new beautifiers under various names have lately started in existence but Dickey s "Creme de Lis" has no competition at all. [illegible]

BRIEF NOTES

Ingomar

Don t wait until to morrow and pay $5 00 for gas

The state circuit court has been in session 62 days

The U S circuit court will convene next Monday

The grand jury will be in session on the 6th of January

How to save money Pay your gas bill to-day at $4 50 per M

It is estimated that 2 000 persons were at Giles lake on Wednesday

Portland Lodge No 55 A F & A M will meet this evening at 7 30 o clock

Go and see Piercy as Ingomar, and Miss Georgie Woodthorpe as Parthenia

There will be a meeting of the Women s Aid Society at 106 Columbia street on Friday at 2 P M

Mr J F Watson formerly with Field & Tilton has associated himself with Smith Bros in the iron and brass works

RELIGIOUS NOTES

[From the Advocate

Rev Mr Finney of the California conference is resting from his labors in our city recuperating his somewhat broken health

Rev S Helninger will preach in Odd Fellows Hall East Portland January 5th at 11 A M Livermore school house 3 P M

Rev Mr Hough late of the Baptist church Oregon City is acting as state missionary for the Baptists in this state and adjoining territory

Bro Wm T Koots pastor of Goldendale charge writes "We are enjoying great prosperity upon this charge A revival spirit prevails all over the circuit

The watch night meeting at Taylor street church was largely attended The meeting was conducted by Judge Caples Mr Heroy and E Northrup and was very interesting

Rev Thomas L Sails pastor at Dallas writes December 24th saying "We have just closed a protracted meeting here seven persons have professed conversion and the members are spiritually revived

OUTGOING PASSENGERS

At 5 o clock yesterday the steamer *Great Republic* sailed from this port with freight and the following passengers

M P Berry
Commodore Perry
J P Mercer
J Lasfield,
H Fields
J Wilson
John R Cameron
W H Newell
F Kemmuon
M Leavey
A Emener,
I Rosenbelm
Mrs M J Dilkington
A W Reed
Benj Levy,
Mr P H Flynn & wife,
Mr Kinney
Mr Kinney and son
H Steager
L A Clark
J Shields
P P Kooutz,
W McGinn
R Parter
T Kane,
W S Sooks
J Sham,
M Backus
J Doran
J Chapman
R Taylor
Miss Canfield,
F Comstock
D King
F Doyle
B Walling
C V Ostborw
W N Gine
I M Cameron
N Hally
J B Young
P P Kooutz
P L McDonough
L Caro
Q K Ine
J W Gambel
J Greeder,
C K Paddock
Mrs Kinney,
C Sharpe Jr
E Beam,
L F DeWitt
J A Hicks
A Elman,
W E Peck
J D Johnson
P Dudley
J H Baker
P W Press
G Geer
O Dougherty
Mrs C Chambers
Mrs Rutter
48 in the steerage

S. S. ELDER

This steamer sailed hence yesterday afternoon with freight and the following passengers John Proctor J Woodward A L Canler S Pallosky M D Redmond M Charnell J Seiser D Brown W D Clarke H C Owen, J S White Wm Dennison Mr Freeman Miss M Dunbar J Mayer E J Dehart, Miss F Franklin M Franklin L Prager, H Berchelmer J H Loftis Miss V Brown J G Brady W Y Stephenson Miss C F Johnson, Mrs J H Seymour M Barnes Mrs Belshaw J D Windler Mrs Windler Capt Ankeny and 20 in the steerage

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST CHARLES

F E Arnold Lead City DT
Miss L Morgan Hillsboro
Miss N Morgan
Geo Robinson N Yamhill
J C Franklin Umatilla
W H McCune Cowlitz P
Guy Williams Dayton
J C Long
Jos W Curl Scio
Jno W Roland Jefferson
J W Cherry Eugene
Frank Gilbert, Salem
T L Morrison Boston
H Diamond Salem
T S Rodebaugh Hillsboro
Miss J Rodebaugh
Hartly Morgan
Wm J Shreve S I
J H Batchelder and wife Vancouver
Chas H Peggott Dayton
John Curl Scio
E N Thomas, Jefferson
A Gray Hubbard
W T Campbell Eugene
L M Haines Salem
J W Christian Eugene C
Jno W McGrew Perrydale

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS

John S Schenck and wife to Duncan Ferguson lots 5 and 6 block 217 Gillihan add—$1 900

H A Hogue and wife to W I B Nicholson lot 8 block 250 Aiken s add—$100

L Brooke and wife to Ira F Powers lots 3 4, 5 and 6 block 101 city—$1 000

Frederick Bickel and wife to Frank Dekum, part of fractional block 32 city—$9 000

F C and C E Smith and wives to Joseph F Watson undivided ½ of block 107 and undivided ½ of piece of land 5 of block 107 city

PERSONAL

Mr M Franklin senior partner of the firm of Franklin Bros & Co 53 Battery street San Francisco and of this city has gone to New York and Boston to make arrangements with carpet and shoe houses for his wholesale and retail dry goods house of this city

STILL IN THE LEAD.

IN VARIETY STYLE ELEGANCE OF GOODS AND LOW PRICES

In displaying my holiday stock I take pleasure in announcing to the public that my selections this season while in San Francisco have never been surpassed by any one—it being the finest invoice of jewelry watches diamonds and silver ware ever imported into the state Owing to the prolonged continuation of hard times in the east and California I was enabled to purchase at prices greatly below anything heretofore, and my customers are thereby gainers in being able to obtain fine goods at prices materially reduced from former times

I cordially invite the public to examine my stock and ascertain for themselves assuring them that my well established reputation for fair dealing will be maintained, knowing that my goods cannot be excelled and the prices are as low as honest competition can place them

In presenting the above for public consideration I feel convinced that the patronage so liberally extended me heretofore will be continued as I will leave nothing undone to please and satisfy all L C Henrichsen 145 First street Portland

Correct.

Wife—"Well John what are you going to get for my holiday present?" Husband—"I ve been thinking I would buy you one of those Superb Sewing Machines from John L Garrison at 149 Front street You know the New Wilson has taken the first premium for two years in succession at our State Fair and it must be the best" Wife—"Oh dear that s just what I ve been wanting I m so glad!"

NEEDLES—20 000 needles for all leading sewing machines just received and offered to the trade at reduced prices—Sent by mail everywhere at 50 cents per dozen Warranted genuine brands J B Garrison 149 Front st

New Arrival by Steamship "Oregon"

A fresh supply of the new improved Steinway & Son pianos also Kranich & Bach pianos Ernest Gabler New Scale Upright pianos and Burdett organs All of which I offer to the public at very liberal prices Please call see and hear these instruments and you will be convinced of the [illegible] Albert Bartsch Warerooms Third street near Taylor Portland Or

[illegible] hard [illegible] again in his [illegible] place at the [illegible] boot and shoe store

MY LORD DARLING WIFE is suffering with another of those terrible bilious headaches What shall I get to relieve her Oh yes The *Oregon Liver Pills* cured Mrs C and I must go down to Hunder s and get a bottle immediately

Damiana is an Herb

The latest sheet music and music books at D W Prentice & Co s Music Store 168 First street

Imported delicacies for the table such as fruits figs dates pickles prunels etc at S L Stone's

All kinds of sewing machines repaired at [illegible] Yamhill street, by John Barbey.

THE NARROW GAUGE

DAYTON, OREGON Dec 28 1878

H THIELSEN Esq—*My Dear Sir* I most heartily accept the assurances of your good will and friendly feeling as expressed in your letter addressed to me in to day s OREGONIAN and beg to assure you that I did not intend to be disrespectful to yourself I appreciate in the highest your learning and experience in the honorable and very responsible profession of civil engineering and I could not conceive why you should disparage our little railroad or be indifferent to the day of small things

I pass at once to the questions you ask me viz whether the advantage to be gained to the Dayton road if it had adopted the gauge of the Oregon Central (4 feet 8½ inches) by making direct connections with that road when extended across our line would not have been greater than the saving secured to us in making the gauge of our road only three feet

I answer no! for two reasons First the saving in the construction and operation of a narrow gauge road is more than sufficient to cover the cost of transfer of freight to the broad guage cars if such connection were made This saving in construction and operation is much more than you apprehend Look at the Denver & Rio Grande All its connections with the east are broad gauge and all of them subsidized by congress or the State and yet this narrow gauge without any subsidy is paying interest on $16 000 of bonds to the mile with something left for stockholders its bonds now at 93½ while all its broad gauge connections (with the exception of the Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe road) have passed into bankruptcy And Mr Borst the superintendent of the Denver & Rio Grande expressly testifies that this saving in construction and operation on his road is greatly in excess of the cost and inconvenience of transfer of freight from break of gauge

In the second place the Dayton road was projected to accommodate a section of country that the Oregon Central could not We had in view the Yamhill valley running sixty miles west from Dayton with an average width of fifteen miles The coast range is flattened down at the head of the Yamhill river, a broad expanse of valuable timbered country and when cleared equally valuable for agriculture And there a railroad can pass to the Pacific ocean without a grade half as great as that on the Oregon Central in crossing the Portland mountain Our extension to Dallas is to accommodate the productions of the valleys of Salt creek the upper La Creole Luckiamute and King s valleys All these valleys larger than the country along the Willamette river lie so far back from the line of the Oregon Central that its construction will be of little importance to them The coast range is a long range full of small valleys valuable timber millions of acres of rich pasture lands and its resources can only be developed as you yourself admitted in your first article by the narrow gauge insinuating itself into their midst Suppose we build broad gauge from Dayton to Sheridan and Dallas and then narrow roads on through these mountain valleys as they are settled up We would then have a break of gauge at several places and the expense and inconvenience of transfers multiplied But start with a narrow gauge trunk and send out its feeders of the same gauge and uniformity and economy is maintained in a system suited to this location And more than that when we are at Dayton we can reach Portland by a straight line via Chehalem Pass and Sucker Lake with no grades half as high as those on the Oregon Central with only thirty miles of road making a saving of nineteen miles as against the route from St Joe to Portland and developing a well settled and valuable district which the Oregon Central does not aid in the least

As to the narrow gauge road proposed by Messrs Pengra Luton and others from Springfield, will have the same advantages in developing the Cascade range with the cheap and convenient narrow track And if the Central Pacific should ever build a road from Winnemucca to Oregon, why should they desire Mr Pengra s route along the base of the mountains when the broad gauge O & C road, already in operation from substantially the same point, passes all the way to Portland through all the large towns? And why would they not connect with it or buy it out instead of "running a muck" at the narrow gauge on the outskirts? I fail to see the force of your suggestion

And why should a broad gauge road on Mr Pengra's route be considered a friend by the O & C road while a narrow track on the route would be treated in an unfriendly manner?

If Pengra s road draws away business from the O & C road what difference does it make as to the gauge of its track or the color of its cars? Is it not *ownership* and not *gauge* that makes a contest possible or probable?

But if contests with the broad gauge are unavoidable fifteen miles of track would connect Pengra s proposed road to Albany with the Dayton road at the Rickreal and then he would have a friendly line—friendly because not a competitor for the same business—to pass his freight to Portland the metropolis *at all times in the year*

I agree with you most heartily in desiring to see the best system adopted and that it be made self sustaining for that is the interest of all persons whose homes or interests are bound up with the state Very truly yours

J GASTON

OREGON

Several towns of the state propose to organize library associations

Mrs J D Carter a lady of West Chehalem aged 72 years was thrown from a horse to the frozen ground with violence and sustained a serious fracture of the collar bone

Mr J G Suitor had a corn on one of his toes He applied a cloth next cold water then a cloth and now he goes about on crutches The combination took off the corn and most of his toe

East Oregonian Sheriff Sperry is having an enclosure erected around the jail and will in a few days have the gallows erected from which the three Indians, Aps White Owl and Quit a tumps will in a short time start on their pilgrimage to "Mecca" The enclosure will be built high enough to prevent the execution from being public in accordance with the order of the court The sheriff will execute them in the presence of twelve citizens of the county

FAT MAN REDUCED FIFTY POUNDS

Mr Charles R Danforth 91 Main street Buffalo writes as follows *To the Proprietors of Allan s Anti Fat*—Gentlemen Some three months since I commenced the use of Allan s Anti Fat the first week I lost two and one quarter pounds the second week two pounds the third week three and one half pounds and the fourth week nearly three and three quarter pounds In about the above ratio my weight decreased until I had lost 50 pounds I now weigh 155 pounds and feel healthy and strong

BUFFALO N Y, June 20 1878

Gentlemen—Yours received my loss of flesh has been permanent to date Yours C R D

New style in red and other back combs ear rings vail and shawl pins and a full assortment of neck ties for the holidays at Mrs Chas Tichnor s corner of First and Yamhill streets Portland, Or

For a nice holiday present for your lady friends go to D W Prentice & Co s Music Store 168 First street

IN A STATE OF SIEGE—The public have found where to get furniture [illegible] and are flocking to [illegible] [illegible] where everything [illegible]

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SOCIETY ELECTIONS.

The following officers of the Emmet Guard for the ensuing term were installed at their hall last night Captain O Cox first lieutenant L C Webber second lieutenant J Cusick treasurer M Burk financial secretary T Caregen recording secretary P Hoge orderly sergeant M Hues 2d sergeant P Armstrong 3d sergeant M Innright 4th sergeant P Hoge

At a regular meeting of Fidelity Lodge No 4 held in East Portland Christmas evening the following officers were elected W Peabody master workman N B Crane general foreman H H Whipple overseer Leopold Cassel recorder G P Nottage receiver A W Scott financier Paul Stanley guide L S Payne inside watchman M S Fishburn outside watchman G P Nottage examining physician

At a meeting of the Portland Social Turn Verein Society held on Monday evening an election of officers was held for the ensuing six months term Following is the result President [illegible] Ehlers vice president, D Zinsle recording secretary Joseph Bauer corresponding secretary [illegible] treasurer C A Alisky first leader A F Miller second leader Charles Beashler first warden G Kayser second warden S F Beary librarian J Steinger directors F Castendieck G Franz J Levy

THE COURTS

PORTLAND, Jan 1, 1879

STATE CIRCUIT COURT BELLINGER J

C W Coulter vs T J Baxter—Judgment below reversed in favor of W B Gilbert in the court.

Arthur Fable vs A B Lindsay—Injunction discharged and the petition of Fable denied—allowed until Monday to further plead

A A Webber vs A C Gibbs et al—Default and decree

Corbett & Macleay vs John Byers—Judgment entered

Jacob Keck vs Thos Ftmington—Appeal dismissed for want of prosecution

James Abraham vs George Abbott Cause submitted

POLICE COURT

The following cases were disposed of to day at the police court

Drunk and Disorderly—O Samuelson $10, Scotty Sharp $20, John Barnes $30 Earnest Eckart $40 Daniel Neary $10 Hiram Graham $10 —— Carnahan $10, John H Lee $20

Assault with dangerous weapons David Gilchrist held to answer bail fixed at $200

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 3, 1879.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, January 2, 1878.

Gold in New York at par.

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 99½; selling at par.

Silver coin—2@2¼ per cent. discount.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Currency—99 95 100 buying; par selling.

Silver—97¾@98c.

Trade Dollars—95@96.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2—11 A. M.—Gold, par; silver bullion, 8¼.

5s of '81, 6¾.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Silver unchanged. 5s, 9¾; 1½s, 7½.

The week past has been one of great quiet, if not actual dullness, in monetary matters as well as in the affairs of general trade. The demand for loanable funds is less voluminous than existed a week ago, and borrowers seem to have supplied their more urgent wants while the languishing condition of the markets abroad for breadstuffs and other exportable commodities has tended to discourage an active movement in that direction. Hence the banks have been during the holidays doing rather less counter business than usual.

In domestic produce, if we except the business of supplying the local demand and a few transactions in articles for export but little has been done. The wheat traffic has been carried on in the face of reports both from San Francisco and Liverpool, of a character rather discouraging to an active trade and while shippers are still buying as freely as the diminished facilities for transportation and the backward disposition of holders to sell will permit, but only in case of necessity are exporters inclined to pay more than $1 67½. Under such necessity, in some cases during the past week, $1 70@1 72½ per cental. It is thought that after the business of the new year has settled down, trade will show some improvement. The interruption of navigation on the Upper Columbia has caused a diminution in the aggregate receipts of several products. Prices are generally steady as quoted below.

Home Produce Market.

Wheat—Current quotations are given at $1 67½ for fair shipping lots, with frequent instances in which an advance of 2½ cents per cental is paid for superior lots. The market is dull and transactions light.

FLOUR—Quotations are as follows: Oregon City Mills, McLeran, Salem Flouring Mills and standard brands of extra, in jobbing lots, $5@5 25 ℔ bbl; country extra, $4 75@5; superfine, $4@4 50.

OATS—There is an active demand, and the light receipts are freely taken at 42½@47½c per bushel.

MILL FEED—Moderate supply, bran quotable at $15 per ton, shorts $22 50@25, middlings $27 50@30 per ton.

HAY—Good baled, $13; loose, $10 @11 per ton.

POTATOES—The market is firmer at quotations. Quotable from first hands at 75c@90c per bushel, according to variety.

ONIONS—In fair demand for the local trade, and for shipment, quotable at 2c per ℔ for best varieties.

BACON—Quotations are 11@12c for sides, 12½@15c for hams, and 7½@8½c for shoulders.

LARD—The demand is supplied and the market weak at 10@12½ cents ℔ ℔ in tins and kegs.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 18@25c ℔ ℔; choice dairy 30@35c; cheese, quotable at 15@16c ℔ ℔.

EGGS—The demand is duller at 25@27½c per doz.

CHICKENS—Very choice hens, $4 per doz; common $3@3 50.

DRIED APPLES—Quotable at 4½@5c ℔ ℔ for sun dried.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4½@5c; pitless, 9@12c ℔ ℔.

WOOL—Valley 15@19; Eastern Oregon from 12½@17.

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

[FIRST DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.

Wheat, Barley, Corn and Flour—No quotations to-day; markets extremely dull. New York wheat dull.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

Wheat—"Masterly inactivity" sums up the business. Buyers continue to hold off, hoping for concessions, and sellers are lowering their pretentions. Market unsettled; now quotable at $1 65@1 67½ for fair to good California milling; $1 70@1 72½ for choice to extra choice ditto.

Flour—Oregon and Walla Walla, $4 87½@5 12½; the demand is good and stocks on hand are cleaning up.

Oats—Market weak, with prices favoring buyers; Price List announces at $1@1 25 for common; 1 30@1 40 for fair to good, and 1 45@1 50 for choice to extra choice.

English Wheat Market.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Floating cargoes, rather easier; cargoes on passage and for shipment, neglected, no business doing.

Quotations of good cargoes, off coast, per 480 lbs sea damage for seller's account, less usual 2½ per cent. commission: Med. Ch. or Mil. wheat, 39s 6d @40s; red winter, 44@44s 6d; California, 45.

Good shipping California wheat, on passage, per 500 lbs. Queenstown for orders, just shipped or to promptly shipped, 44s 6d; nearly due, 45s 6d; fair average Ch. or Mil. for shipment during present month and following one, per 480 lbs. Am. terms, 37s@37s 6d.

English country markets quiet.

French country markets quiet.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 31.—Wheat spot, rather easier. Fair to choice shipping club, per cental, 9s 5d@9s 8d, fair to choice shipping California, per cental, 9s 1d @9s 4d, red Am. spring, shipping club, No. 3 to No. 2, 7s 6d@8s 4d.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Arrived—Strs Arcata and Gussie Telfair, and schr Laura May, Coos Bay; Br ship Warwickshire, Manilla; str Idaho, 90 hours from Portland.

Cleared—Br sh Alex. McKenzie and Br bk Chas. Cotesworth, Queenstown; brig Greyhound, Tahiti; sch Good Templar, Mazatlan.

Sailed—Nor sh Frederick Stang, Departure Bay; bk Sampset, Tacoma; schs Bobolink, Premier and Sparkling Sea, Coos Bay; sh Rosie Welt, Nanaimo; bk Jas. Cheston, Port Gamble.

Sails for Sound Saturday—Bk Montana, for Coos Bay; Tuesday, schr Laura May, Shoalwater Bay; Friday, schr Annie Lee, ——.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 30.—Arrived—Br bks Alneberg, Glencoe, Loch Doon and Snowden, S. F.

Dec. 31.—Br sh City of Florence, Br bk Lancashire, Br bk Shakespeare, S. F.

Jan. 1.—Br sh British Commodore, S. F.; Am sh Portland Lloyds, Howland Island, via Rio Janeiro.

PANAMA, Dec. 29.—Sailed—Str City of Panama, S. F.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 1.—Arrived—Br sh New York, Br bk E. P. Bouverie, S. F.

VICTORIA, Jan. 2.—Arrived—Str Empire, S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.

Ophir—790 shs $35¼.
Mexican—850 shs $30½, 30¼, 31.
G & C—350 shs $9, 9½.
B & B—90 shs $18.
California—600 shs $10¾, 10½.
Savage—400 shs $10.
Con Va—1100 shs $7¾, 8, 8¼.
Chollar—80 shs $45, 44, 44½.
H & N—155 shs $11¼.
Point—210 shs $3 60, 3 55, 3 60.
Jacket—20 shs $13¾.
Imperial—75 shs 80c.
Alpha—110 shs $10½.
Belcher—400 shs $3¾, 3 30.
Confidence—210 shs $9.
S Nevada—250 shs $41, 41¼, 41¾, 42, 41.
Utah—90 shs $11.
Bullion—2500 shs $4 90, 4 95, 4 80, 4 85, 5.
Seg Belcher—5 shs $17.
Overman—130 shs $9½.
Caledonia—40 shs $2 40.
S Hill—1500 shs $1¼, 1 55, 1 60, 1 65, 1 70.
Dardanelles—100 shs $1 10.
New York—400 shs 60c.
Sheridan—1200 shs 25c.
Lady Washington—20 shs 70c.
Wells Fargo—240 shs 20c, 15.
Ward—735 shs $1, 95c.
Scorpion—350 shs 50c.
Julia—1800 shs $5, 4 90, 4¾, 4 80, 4 70, 4½.
Lady Bryan—100 shs 70c.
Alta—400 shs $5, 5¼.
Exchequer—10 shs $4 20.
Union—300 shs $57½, 57¾.
Succor—200 shs 10c.
Justice—585 shs $3 65.
Leviathan—1075 shs 45c, 50.
N Con Va—100 shs $5½.
M Star—50 shs $2¼.
Trojan—200 shs 30c.
Benton—295 shs $3, 2 90, 2 95.
Senator—500 shs 15c.
S Silver—140 shs 12c.
N Bonanza—850 shs 30c, 35, 30.
Challenge—100 shs $1 6.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Eu Con—76 shs $32.
Jackson—100 shs $8.
Belmont—100 shs 60c.
Leopard—210 shs 60c.
Belle—55 shs $9½, 9⅝.
Hussey—100 shs 25c.
Manhattan—205 shs $4½.
Defrees—35 shs 15c.
Prize—480 shs $8, 7⅞, 7¾, 8.
Argenta—1220 shs $2 65, 2 70.
Independence—100 shs $1 15.
Star—100 shs 50c.
Tuscarora—900 shs 10c.
Day—400 shs 25c.
Highbridge—250 shs $2¼.
Paradise—500 shs 32.
Modoc—100 shs 55c.
Bodie—310 shs $7¾, 7¾.
Bechtel—50 shs 60c.
Tioga—150 shs $1 10, 1 20.
Bulwer—230 shs $14.
Goodshaw—60 shs 40c.
Oriental—230 shs 55c, 50.
Belvidere—100 shs 50c.
Bulwer—100 shs 35c.
Booker—200 shs 50c.
S Standard—500 shs 20c.
Mono—90 shs $3½.
Con Pacific—45 shs $1½.
Dudley—100 shs $1.
White—4 shs $4½.
Leeds—57 shs $1¼.

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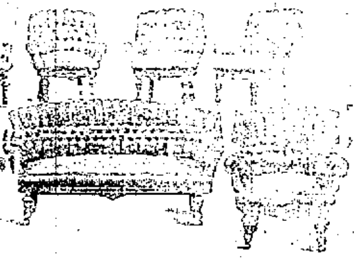

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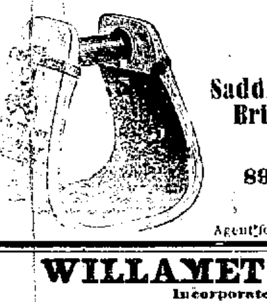

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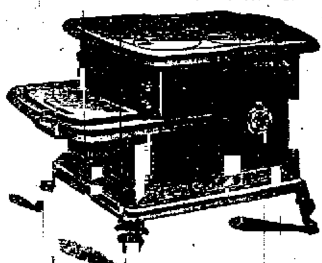

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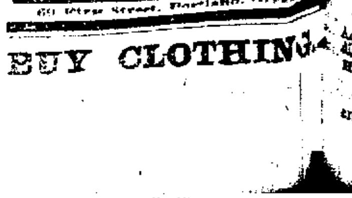

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